CA2 ALHT A56 1956/1957





ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

OF THE

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

1956 - 57

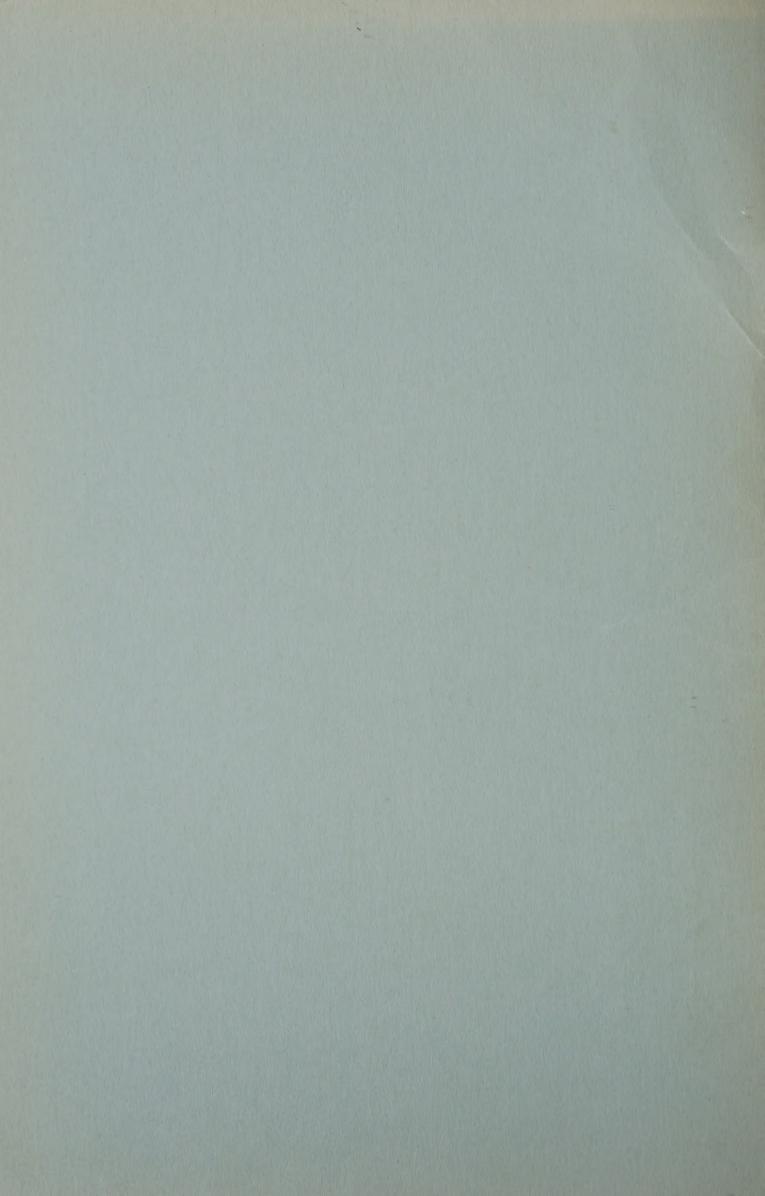
PUBLISHED BY
ORDER OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

EDMONTON

Printed by L.S. WALL, Queen's Printer for Alberta

1957

FEB 2 3 2016





ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

OF THE

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

1956 - 57

PUBLISHED BY
ORDER OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

EDMONTON

Printed by L.S. WALL, Queen's Printer for Alberta 1957

Digitized by the Internet Archive in 2022 with funding from Legislative Assembly of Alberta - Alberta Legislature Library

CONTENTS

	Page
Report of Deputy Minister of Highways	5
Main Highways Maintenance, District Highways and Local Roads, Ferries Operation, Maintenance,	
Replacements and Installations	7
Highway Construction	20
Bridge Construction and Maintenance	32
Surveys Branch	40
Location Branch	44
Motor Vehicle Branch	46

Edmonton, August 14, 1957

To His Honor,

J. J. BOWLEN,

Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta.

Sir:

The undersigned has the honour to submit herewith the Report of the Department of Highways for the year ended March 31, 1957.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON E. TAYLOR,

Department of Highways

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF HIGHWAYS

For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1957

Hon. Gordon E. Taylor, Minister of Highways.

Sir:

I have the honour to submit herewith the report covering the activities of the Department of Highways for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1957.

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE AND FERRIES

The mileage of main highway maintenance during the year was 5,378. The sum of \$3,760,711.10 was expended for main and secondary highways. The sum of \$8,132,890.75 was expended for construction and maintenance of district highways and local roads in Improvement Districts, Municipal Districts and Special Areas.

There were 47 ferries operated by the Province during the season with a total expenditure on ferry construction, reconstruction, operation and maintenance of \$300,080.86.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

During the 1956 construction season, 195.90 miles of subgrade and 44.23 miles of grade construction were completed. 0.70 miles of subgrade were widened and 341.69 miles of highway were gravel surfaced.

In addition, 239.48 miles of stabilized base course with the top lift asphaltic bound were placed. A further 7.76 miles of stabilized base course was placed on widened shoulders. 324.73 miles of asphaltic plant mix surface course were completed and 226.98 miles of asphaltic seal coat were placed. 774.50 miles of centre line striping were painted, as well as 9 railway crossing markings.

On the 24th day of April, 1950, an Agreement was formally entered into with the Government of Canada which terminated on December 9, 1956 for the construction of the Trans-Canada Highway. On June 22, 1956 a new Agreement was signed extending the construction period to the 31st day of December, 1960. Construction of that portion of the Trans-Canada Highway between Calgary and the Saskatchewan Boundary was completed under the original Federal-Provincial Agreement which terminated in 1956 by the completion of four contracts covering Asphaltic Bound Stabilized Base Course from Calgary to Strathmore, Asphaltic

Plant Mix Surface Course from Calgary to Strathmore and Asphaltic Seal Coat from Bassano to Strathmore. Additional to this, four contracts for Asphaltic Seal Coat between the Saskatchewan Boundary and Bassano, Strathmore and Calgary were awarded and completed, thereby completing the Asphaltic Seal Coat from the Saskatchewan Boundary to Calgary.

Under the new Federal-Provincial Trans-Canada Highway Agreement, five subgrade construction contracts were entered into covering 56.98 miles from West of Bowness to Banff Park Gate, of which 27.82 miles were constructed. The comparatively small mileage completed was due to the lateness in the season that contracts were awarded as a result of interchanges regarding details of the new agreement.

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

During the 1956-57 construction season, 19 departmental bridge crews were engaged in bridge construction and maintenance. There were 21 contracts awarded for bridge construction during this period.

Two major bridges begun last year are still under construction and do not appear in the summary of bridges completed. These are the North Saskatchewan River Bridge at Fort Saskatchewan and the Little Smoky River Bridge on Highway 43.44, South of Donnelly.

There were 21 Steel Bridges, 1 Steel Overpass, 122 Precast Concrete Bridges, 6 Reinforced Concrete Bridges, 14 Reinforced Concrete Culverts and Cattle Passes, 5 Retaining Walls and Ditches, 224 Steel Culverts, 1 Timber Culvert, 15 Timber Bridges and 3 Low Level Crossings were constructed.

A total of 761 structures were dealt with during the year.

On the Trans-Canada Highway 1 steel bridge was constructed.

SURVEYS

The report of the Director of Surveys shows a decrease in the number of surveys carried forward to the ensuing year.

LOCATIONS

The activities of this branch are contained in the report of the Chief Locations Engineer.

MOTOR VEHICLE BRANCH (Highway Traffic Board)

The activities of this Branch are contained in the report of the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.

Respectfully submitted,
A. FRAME,
Deputy Minister of Highways

MAINTENANCE BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS MAIN HIGHWAYS MAINTENANCE HIGHWAY SAFETY CONTROL

DISTRICT HIGHWAYS AND LOCAL ROADS IMPROVEMENT AND MUNICIPAL DISTRICTS FERRIES OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, REPLACEMENTS AND INSTALLATIONS

J. H. JOHNSTON, Chief Maintenance Engineer

The maintenance of main and secondary highways, construction and maintenance of district highways and local roads in Improvement Districts, construction and maintenance of district highways and local roads in Municipal Districts where assistance was given in the way of grants and maintenance and construction of ferries, were carried out under the supervision of ten district engineers and five assistant district engineers.

The Summer season of 1956 was quite normal and there was no difficulty in carrying out the road program. The Winter season for the maintenance of highways and district highways was below normal. As a consequence the cost of snow removal was below the average annual costs.

Detailed information covering expenditures for the fiscal year 1956-57 is contained in the following statements as submitted with this report.

(1) Statement showing expenditure on maintenance of main and secondary highways:

	Gravelled	Asphalt	Total
Main Highways—miles	1,567	1,663	3,230
Secondary Highways—miles	1,959	189	2,148
Totals	3.526	1.852	5 270
Totals	3,320	1,004	5,378

Regravelling of main and secondary highways, maintenance, snow removal, centreline striping, warning signs at railway crossings and school zones, and the erection of highway signs were carried out. The following are details of expenditures:

Ordinary Maintenance	5,378 miles	\$3,227,040.60
Snow Removal	5,378 miles	221,873.77
Regravelling	305 miles	169,477.93
Centre Line Striping, Pavement		200,211100
Messages, Railway Crossings,		
School Zones and Stop Traffic	949 miles	47,112.19
Erecting Highway Signs		88,798.39
		00,100.00
Highway Safety Control, 195		
examinations for development		
adjacent to Highways		6,408.22
	-	40 700 711 10
	Total	\$3,760,711.10

(2) Statement showing the distribution from income account of expenditure in the construction and maintenance of district highways and local roads in Improvement Districts, Municipal Districts and Special Areas, total of which amounted to \$8,132,890.75, divided as follows:

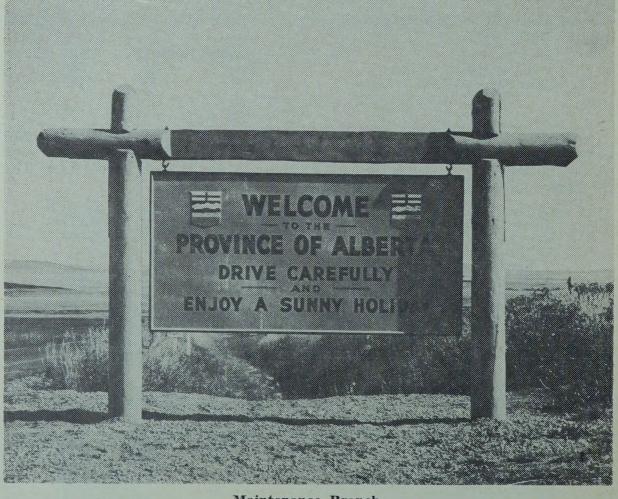
Improvement Districts Municipal Districts Special Areas Special Contingencies	S	\$2,926,198.24 3,613,739.05 125,000.00 1,467,953.68
	Total	\$8 132 890 97

Details as follows:

Miles of roads graded Miles of roads gravelled Miles of roads asphalt surfaced	3,295.45 3,534.15 1.10
Total Mileage of roads improved	6.830.70

(3) Statement showing in detail the expenditures made in connection with the operation, maintenance, reconstruction and installation of ferries from both capital and income accounts. There were 47 ferries operated in the Province during the season, with a total expenditure of \$300,080.86 divided as follows:

	Operation of Ferries, including Replacement of Ferries at Tolman Crossing, North of Myrnam, Lindbergh, Blue Ridge, Fort Vermilion, Heinsburg and Beauvallon New installations	\$	299,944.90 135.96
	Total	\$	300,080.86
(4)	Total Expenditures as follows:		
	Highway Maintenance	\$	3,760,711.10
	Improvement Districts, Municipal Districts and Special Areas Ferries		8,132,890.75 300,080.86
	Total Expenditure	\$1	2.193.682.71



Maintenance Branch Welcome Sign, Highway No. 1



Maintenance Branch
Snow Removal, Highway No. 12



Maintenance Branch Snow Removal, Highway No. 34

MAIN HIGHWAYS MAINTENANCE

EXPENDITURE ON THE MAINTENANCE OF MAIN AND SECONDARY HIGHWAYS

For the Year ended March 31, 1957

Tanakin		
Location was the second of the	Miles	Amount
Walsh to Bassano	129	\$ 21,561.56
Medicina Hat to Crassy & Iako	49	12,502.93
Medicine Hat to Grassy-Lake Brooks to Duchess	14	22,476.47
Irvine to Wildhorse	71	48,222.02
Convers to Monton	104	43,736.38
Carway to Nanton		117,856.92
Grassy Lake to Crowsnest	149	
Lethbridge to Coutts	63	29,794.16 22,015.22
Lethbridge to Waterton	71 30	
Pincher to Waterton		47,409.90
Monarch to Champion	32	4,113.46
Lethbridge to Turin	36	11,599.14
Cardston to Immigrant Gap	15	2,954.56
Welling to Craddock	15	1,204.54
Bassano to Banff Park Gates	163	77,408.14
Nanton to Didsbury	91	58,491.06
No. 2A Highway Through Okotoks	11	5,786.86
No. 2A Highway—Mile 33.11 to Didsbury	12	3,690.99
Okotoks to N.E. Corner 17-18-2-5 (Little New York)	24	16,417.77
Calgary to Bowness Park	5	5,079.95
Inverlake to S.E. Corner 16-28-21-4	68	15,268.15
S.E. 16-28-21-4 to Alsask	134	55,160.63
Drumheller to Wayne to East Coulee	16	10,853.53
Beiseker to Twining	25	13,844.55
Midnapore to Black Diamond	31	19,568.42
Champion to High River	52	23,194.04
Vulcan Corner to Cheadle	44	21,520.21
Carbon—West and South	16	4,438.48
Hanna—Garden Plains	20	30,603.35
Wetaskiwin - Edmonton	38	92,242.68
Hayter to Wetaskiwin	165	71,938.83
Jct. Highway No. 17 to Edmonton	169	78,334.53
Ft. Saskatchewan to Mundare—Jct. No. 16 Highway	43	29,719.89
Lloydminster to Edmonton	154	85,268.75
*Lloydminster—North and South	56	5,217.57
Bashaw to Ervick	31	12,893.69
Battle River to Duvernay	101	47,593.13
Wainwright to Elk Point Bridge	74	58,602.77
Jct. Highway No. 15 to Jct. Highway No. 41	109	104,057.09
Bremner to Ft. Saskatchewan	10	4,609.13
Didsbury to Wetaskiwin	100	93,637.70
No. 2 Highway, Didsbury to Bowden	19	6,159.13
Red Deer to Nordegg	106	28,030.41
Compeer to Nevis	144	95,952.56
Nevis to Norbuck	98	39,665.23
Wetaskiwin to Norbuck	51	14,346.65
Bentley to Sylvan Lake	11	6,560.25
Twining to Bashaw	81	37,027.57
Olds to Sundre	$\frac{31}{24}$	8,587.27
Garden Plains to Battle River	41	9,047.93
Penhold to Lousana	28	30,779.98
Tees to Mirror	9	4,577.61
Bentley to Gilby	19	
Ponoka to West of Dorenlee	11	6,208.74
Innisfail to Clearwater River	43	11,506.84
Stettler to Big Valley	20	21,188.80
Spedden to Cold Lake	105	5,452.72
Duvernay to St. Bride's Corner	20	96,988.51
	8	2,442.97
Elk Point Bridge to Jct. No. 28 Highway	0	7,409.71

*Maintained by the Province of Saskatchewan. This expenditure 50% of Maintenance Cost.

Appropriation 2109A Roads Branch

Maintenance Administration—Salaries \$182,029.64

(not included in above total)

EXPENDITURE ON CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF DISTRICT HIGHWAYS AND LOCAL ROADS

For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1957 GRANTS TO IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS

I.D. Number General	**Total I \$ 1,509.17	. D. Number I.D. 78 79	Total \$ 186,259.93 24.50
Workmen's Compensation —File 3044 General—District 1	13,308.43 168.90	85 95 96	3,556.20 101,012.69 4.696.50
Unemployment Insurance —File 3175 General—District 2	295.40 172.66	101 102 D7 107	96,986.33 162,037.09 138,291.06
Unemployment Insurance —File 3175 General—District 4	77.55 222.27	108 109 111	89,594.99 73,145.04 18.967.50
Unemployment Insurance —File 3175 General—District 6	92.76 1.32	121 122 124 D9	115.01 31,072.76 71,437.20
Unemployment Insurance	256.06	124 D12 125	11,249.59 171,323.84
General—District 7	36.29 433.55	126 D11 126 D12 128	96,933.49 2,984.91 4,886.25
General—District 8 Unemployment Insurance—File 3175	4.13 536.70	129 D9 129 D12 131	7,946.10 62.00 66,949.79
General—District 9 Unemployment Insurance————————————————————————————————	19.21 170.07	132 134 138	165,317.17 128,049.95 156,069.23
General—District 11 Unemployment Insurance—File 3175	2,062.10 255.44	139 D12 143 146	199,054.68 2,723.00 2,126.85
General—District 12 Unemployment Insurance—File 3175	136.14 443.71	147 946	10,639.38 16,340.15
1D 10	18,898.41 256,419.01	Indian Reserve	es:
22 27 42 46 50 58 65	43,778.70 81,012.00 36,894.29 6,523.85 2,812.37 40,173.41 274,392.63 45.65	BIR Dist. 2 PIR Dist. 2 BIR Dist. 4 IR Dist. 4 SIR Dist. 4 IR 137 Dist. 6 IR 138A Dist. 6 IR 133A Dist. 8	
69 77	5,183.30 78,928.39	IR 134 Dist. 9	188.50 \$2,926,198.24
Grants to Special Areas	—General		



Maintenance Branch
District Highway Construction, Municipal District of Lethbridge, with Assistance of Grant

EXPENDITURE ON CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF DISTRICT HIGHWAYS

For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1957

GRANTS TO MUNICIPAL DISTRICTS

M.D.	Num	ıber			Total
*Gene		****	***************************************	\$	5.042.16
Unem	ployr	ment 1	Insurance	Ψ.	46.74
M.D.	2	=========	***************************************		71,983.00
M.D.	6				74,634.69
M.D.	9				46,592.48
$\mathbf{M}.\mathbf{D}.$	14				63,115.94
$\mathbf{M}.\mathbf{D}.$	25		***************************************		103,407.57
M.D.	26		***************************************		99,223.24
M.D.	31		***************************************		93,490.35
M.D.	34		***************************************		16,588.12
M.D.	40				96,800.35
M.D.	44	~			141,991.29
M.D.	47		***************************************		50,179.92
M.D.	48	********	***************************************		91,987.98
M.D.	49		***************************************		95,925.44
M.D.	52				56,842.00
M.D.	53		***************************************		57,149.56
M.D.	55		***************************************		118,035.64
M.D.	61				65,090.00
M.D.	62		***************************************		91,909.00
M.D.	63		***************************************		104,177.00
M.D.	64		~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~		95,250.86
M.D.	71	***********			113,684.00
M.D.	72				79,083.00
M.D.	73	********	*		83,905.23
M.D.	74	*			88,292.34
M.D. M.D.	75				102,165.55
	81				77,704.00
M.D.	82				87,389.00
M.D. M.D.	83				60,605.00 84,539.89
M.D.	84 86				66,662,55
M.D.	87	*	***************************************		50,438.24
M.D.	89		~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~		53,615.00
M.D.	90		***************************************		84.282.68
M.D.	92		***************************************		72,596.50
M.D.	93		,		67.481.14
M.D.	103				72.304.18
M.D.	106		7**************************************		49.482.30
M.D.	130		***************************************		42,794.92
M.D.	133				15.806.01
M.D.	135		*		19,266.81
M.D.	136				26,267.43
111.15.	100				
		Count	by No. 1		91,460.52
		1.7	No. 2		101,958.44
		,,	No. 3		82,233.10
		2.2	No. 4		97,779.00
		17	No. 5		76,367.04
		2.7	No. 6		80,129.50
		,,	No. 7		45,982.35
				\$3	.613.739.05

*Note—General is expenses incurred by Enginering Inspections.

EXPENDITURE ON CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF DISTRICT HIGHWAYS AND LOCAL ROADS

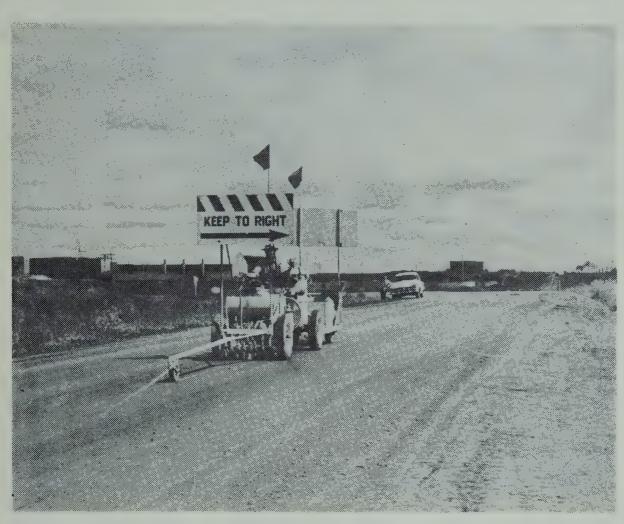
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1957

Total

SPECIAL CONTINGENCIES I.D. or M.D. Salaries General Unemployment Insurance

Salaries General	\$	1,648.07 3,613.90
Unemployment Insurance M.D. 2		514.50 33,380.52
M.D. 9		31,053.28
I.D. 11		10,008.11 10,744.76
I.D. 27		15.029.30
M.D. 34 M.D. 40		21,023.95 67,053.77
M.D. 44		24,913.82
M.D. 47		36,927.53 38,380 72
M.D. 49		43,518.80
M.D. 52 M.D. 53		20,004.02 14.989.12
M.D. 55		14,989.12 31,755.14
M.D. 61 M.D. 62		29,996.95 13,360.08
M.D. 63		10,199.57
M.D. 64 M.D. 71		53,209.51 28,116.72
M.D. 73		19,644.00
M.D. 75		40,805.11 38,753.51
M.D. 78		7,417.95 23,188.75
M.D. 83		11,164.38
M.D. 84		29,454.76 110,775.32
M.D. 87		34,973.38
M.D. 89 M.D. 90		12,259.93 $9,999.05$
M.D. 92		50,377.16
M.D. 93 M.D. 102		30,567.65 28,291.50
M.D. 103		163,164.09
M.D. 106 M.D. 133		74,430.18 19,833.19
M.D. 135		17,923.53
M.D. 136		11,718.96
" No. 3		40,127.68 39,038.26
'' No. 5		36,523.52 $31,285.22$
" No. 7		26,575.95
Special Areas Dist. 1 \$10,459.21 Special Areas Dist. 4 9,759.08		20,218.29
	\$1.	,467,953.46
INCOME ACCOUNT ADDRODDIATION SUMMARY		
INCOME ACCOUNT APPROPRIATION— *2106-1 Grants to Improvement Districts	p.o.	006 100 04
*2106-2 Grants to Special Areas *2106-3 Grants to Municipal Districts	\$2,	,926,198.24 125,000.00
*2106-3 Grants to Municipal Districts 2106-4 Special Contingencies	3,	,613,739.05 ,467,953.46
*Salaries are included in appropriation 2109	\$8,1	132,890.75

*Salaries are included in appropriation 2109.



Maintenance Branch
Centre Line Striping, Highway No. 3



Maintenance Branch

District Highway Construction, Municipal District of Lethbridge, with assistance of Grant.

EXPENDITURE ON OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, REPLACEMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF FERRIES

For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1957

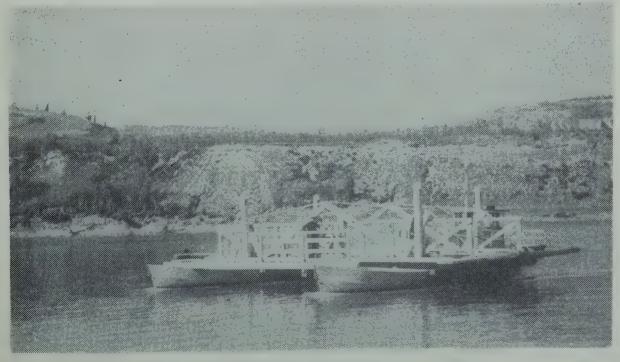
		Operation and	Replacement		
Location	River	Maintenance	Installation	Constructio	n Total
Desjarlais Holmes Crossing Dorothy Pakan Garrington Tolman Crossing Letts Crossing Shandro Hopkins Hutton Lac Ste. Anne Lea Park Eldorena South of Holborn Dunvegan Bow Island N. of Myrnam Genesee Steveville W. of Munson Berrymoor	North Saskatchewan Athabasca Red Deer North Saskatchewan Red Deer Red Deer Pembina North Saskatchewan Red Deer Narrows North Saskatchewan Peace South Saskatchewan North Saskatchewan North Saskatchewan North Saskatchewan Red Deer Red Deer North Saskatchewan	\$ 7,000.35 6,962.33 3,407.45 5,331.38 4,452.10 5,376.29 2,984.59 7,349.30 2,927.05 2,864.29 1,982.49 9,736.15 4,245.48 3,971.48 15,852.54 7,617.30 6,332.21 5,593.42 5,843.95 3,503.59 7,774.14		•	7,000.35 6,962.33 3,407.45 5,331.38 4,452.10 6,942.71 2,984.59 7,349.30 2,927.05 2,864.29 1,982.49 9,736.15 4,245.48 3,971.48 15,852.54 7,617.30 6,507.35 5,593.42 5,843.95 3,503.59 7,774.14
Lindbergh Vinca Crossing N. of Jenner	Red Deer	6,240.75 3,897.74 9,611.75 3,421.30	136.64		6,240.75 4,034.38 9,611.75 3,421.30
West of Morrin Drayton Valley S. of Falher Grovedale Klondyke Crossing	Red Deer Red Deer Saskatchewan Little Smoky Wapiti Athabasca	5,003.31 19,831.96 8,918.39 4,914.59 2,482.58	22.50		3,150.85 5,003.31 19,854.46 8,918.39 4,914.59 2,482.58
South of Wembley South of Crowfoot South of Rolling Hills Waskatenau North of Blueridge	.Pembina .Wapiti .Bow .Bow .North Saskatchewan .Athabasca	6,248.64 4,364.92 3,169.82 7,490.52 10,734.05	950.00		2,787.26 6,248.64 4,364.92 3,169.82 7,490.52 11,684.05
North of Atlee Forbesville South of Empress Rosevear Warspite	South Saskatchewan	6,043.85 2,819.01 4,131.12 5,587.77 4,946.72 5,076.37		\$135.96	6,179.81 2,819.01 4,131.12 5,587.77 4,946.72 5,076.37
Heinsburg Beauvallon Bowslope General—Head Office S Unemployment Insuran	Peace North Saskatchewan North Saskatchewan Bow Supervision Ce	8,116.40 3,339.64 6,693.99 289.99 1,062.15	2,701.12 573.50 351.67		20,630.35 8,689.90 3,691.31 6,693.99 289.99 1,062.15 4,055.36
		\$293,467.91	\$6,476.99	\$135.96	300,080.86
	SUMM	ARY			
Income Account, Appre Capital Account, Appre	opriation 2103Bopriation 2152B				299,944.90 135.96

\$300,080.86



Maintenance Branch

District Highway Construction in Improvement District No. 65



Maintenance Branch
Ferry Operation at Dunvegan, on Peace River

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS MAIN HIGHWAYS CONSTRUCTION BRANCH

(A. M. PAULL, Chief Construction Engineer)

During the 1956 construction season 195.90 miles of subgrade and 44.23 miles of grade construction were completed. 0.70 miles of subgrade were widened and 341.69 miles of highways were gravel surfaced.

In addition 239.48 miles of stabilized base course with the top lift asphaltic bound were placed. A further 7.76 miles of stabilized base course was placed on widened shoulders. 324.73 miles of asphaltic plant mix surface course were completed and 226.98 miles of asphaltic seal coat was placed. 774.50 miles of centre line striping were painted, as well as 9 railway crossing markings.

Construction of that portion of the Trans-Canada Highway between Calgary and the Saskatchewan boundary was completed under the original Federal-Provincial Agreement, which terminated in 1956 by the completion of four contracts covering Asphaltic Bound Stabilized Base Course from Calgary to Strathmore, Asphaltic Plant Mix Surface Course from Calgary to Strathmore and Asphaltic Seal Coat from Bassano to Strathmore. Additional to this, four contracts for Asphaltic Seal Coat between the Saskatchewan Boundary and Bassano, Strathmore and Calgary were awarded and completed, thereby completing the Asphaltic Seal Coat from the Saskatchewan Boundary to Calgary.

Under the new Federal-Provincial Trans-Canada Highway Agreement, signed in 1956, five subgrade construction contracts were entered into, covering 56.98 miles from West of Bowness to Banff Park Gate, of which 27.82 miles were constructed.

The comparatively small mileage completed was due to the lateness in the season that the contracts were awarded as a result of interchanges regarding details of the new agreement.



Maintenance Branch Highway Wayside Camp Kitchen, Highway No. 2, Fort Macleod

Subgrade construction on the four lane divided highway was extended to include the section from Airdrie to North of Crossfield, a distance of 13.94 miles, of which 11.05 miles were completed. Asphalt Bound Stabilized Base Course was placed on the section from North of Crossfield to South of Bowden, a distance of 29.41 miles.

Twenty-six applications to the Board of Transport Commissioners were made for the installation of protection at Highway-Railway grade crossings, of which nine were approved, eleven are pending before the Board and six were rejected. Five installations of protection were made by the Railway Companies under approval previously received.

During the winter, thirty-one gravel stockpiling and four clearing projects were carried out. A considerable programme of field and laboratory tests were undertaken during the year. Approximately 72,000 field tests were performed on base course and plant mix surfacing projects, with approximately 24,500 field tests on grading projects. Six thousand six hundred and sixty-one (6,661) tests were run in the main laboratory on all types of materials. A staff of eighteen laboratory technicians was maintained in the main laboratory with seventy-six men running tests in the field laboratories on the various projects. In addition, six men were employed on gravel research testing and running CBR tests at large.

On one hundred and forty-seven (147) projects under construction, 1,944 shifts, totalling 19,440 hours, were lost due to bad weather, this being a slight improvement over the time lost in the previous year. This resulted in a slightly higher percentage of the work being completed. However, because of rainfall in some areas, approximately ten percent of the subgrade and stabilized gravel base course projects could not be completed.

The following is a statement of the work performed during the year ending March thirty-first, 1957.



Maintenance Branch
Highway Wayside Camp Kitchen, Highway No. 16, Obed

Work Done By
Contract
Contract
Contract
Contract
Contract
Contract
Contract
Contract
D.O.H.
D.O.H.
D.O.H.
D.O.H.
Contract

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION 1956-57

GRADING MAIN HIGHWAYS

∞		
Width in Feet 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50		
Miles 2.10 Subgrade Construction 6.58 Subgrade Construction 8.00 Subgrade Construction 8.00 Subgrade Construction 7.50 Subgrade Construction 7.50 Subgrade Construction 7.50 Subgrade Construction 7.50 Subgrade Construction 8.46 Subgrade Construction 1.00 Subgrade Construction 1.00 Subgrade Construction 1.00 Subgrade Construction 8.44 Subgrade Construction 9.34 Subgrade Construction 8.44 Subgrade Construction 9.34 Subgrade Construction 8.45 Subgrade Construction 9.34 Subgrade Construction 8.86 Subgrade Construction 9.34 Subgrade Construction 8.86 Subgrade Construction 9.35 Subgrade Construction 8.86 Subgrade Construction 9.37 Subgrade Construction 9.38 Grade Construction 9.03	138.84 Miles 3.39 Miles 134.95 Miles 0.50 Miles 138.84 Miles	5.80 Miles 138.84 Miles
Highway 1-C-1/2 South of Cochrane — Coult of Radnor — Coult of Radnor—Kananaskis River—The Gap — Cochrane—South of Radnor—Kananaskis River—The Gap — Coult of Radnor—Kananaskis River—The Gap — Coult of Radnor—Kananaskis River—The Gap — Coult of Radnor—Kananaskis River—The Gap — College		By Department of Highways TOTAL TOTAL



Trans-Canada Highway, East of Exshaw, showing Rock Cut, Subgrade Construction



Highway No. 16, showing Asphaltic Bound Stabilized Base Course

Contract Con

Work Done By

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION 1956-57

GRADING SECONDARY HIGHWAYS

Highway

Width in Feet	%%&&&&&&&&&&& & %	

Type	Subgrade Widening Grade Construction Subgrade Construction Subgrade Construction Subgrade Construction Subgrade Construction Subgrade Construction Grade Construction	Miles
Miles	0.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.0	101.99 M
Location	Wetaskiwin—Pigeon Lake Millarville—Turner Valley Champion — Vulcan Champion — Vulcan Vulcan—Junction Highway 24 Junction Highway 2—Olds Green Court—South of Blue Ridge South of Blue Ridge—South of Radio Range Station South of Radio Range Station—Whitecourt Junction Highway 41—North of Clandonald—Dewberry Dewberry — Marwayne Donnelly — Falher West of Gordondale—B.C. Boundary Big Valley—East of Scollard Entwistle—Drayton Valley Donnelly—North of Guy North of Guy—Little Smoky River Cold Lake Airport—North of Marie Creek North of Marie Creek—Primrose Lake	TOTAL

40.84 Miles 60.95 Miles 0.20 Miles

Grade Construction Subgrade Construction Subgrade Widening

TOTAL

79.66 Miles 22.33 Miles

101.99 Miles

TOTAL

Contract Department of Highways

By

101.99 Miles



Completed Trans-Canada Highway, East of Strathmore, showing Asphaltic Seal Coat



Highway No. 2, 4 Lane Divided Highway, showing Cross-Over and Asphaltic Bound Stabilized Base Course

GRADING SUMMARY

	Main Highways	Secondary Highways	Totals
Grade Construction	3.39	40.84	44.23
Subgrade Construction		60.95	195.90
Subgrade Widening	0.50	0.20	0.70
TOTALS	138.84	101.99	240.83
By Contract By Department of Highways		79.66 22.33	212.70 28.13
			20.10
TOTALS	138.84	101.99	240.83

FIRST COURSE GRAVEL SURFACING MAIN HIGHWAYS

Highway	Location	Miles	Work Done By
2-C-1	Airdrie — Crossfield	9.00	D.O.H.
2-G-4	Donnelly—West of Springburn Hythe—North of Brainard	4.60	Contract
2-K-2	Hythe—North of Brainard	10.00	Contract
9-C-1 & 2	East of Cereal—Oyen Corner	10.43	Contract
12-B-2	East of Halkirk—Castor	1.90	Contract
13-A	Hughenden—Ribstone Creek	8.44	Contract
13-A	Ribstone Creek—East of Metiskow	9.34	Contract
14-A	Wainwright-North of Heath	12.32	Contract
15-A-2	Fort Saskatchewan—East of Scotford	6.86	Contract
15-A-2	East of Scotford—Lamont	6.91	Contract
16-D-3	South of Entrance—Jasper Park Sixth Meridian—Smoky River South of Plain Lake—Two Hills	3.53	Contract
34-A-3	Sixth Meridian—Smoky River	9.03	Contract
36-B-2	South of Plain Lake—Two Hills	3.31	Contract
	TOTAL	95.67 Miles	
	By Contract By Department of Highways	86.67 9.00	
	TOTAL	95.67 Miles	



Highway No. 16, West of Hinton, showing Asphaltic Bound Stabilized Base Course

FIRST COURSE GRAVEL SURFACING SECONDARY HIGHWAYS

Highway	Location	Miles	Work Done By
18-A-2 22-A 23-A-2 23-A-2 43-A-2 43-A-2 43-B-1 45-B-1 45-B-1 45-B-2 49-A-1 49-B-2 56-A-1 57-A 43:43	South of Holmes Crossing—Fort Assiniboine Millarville—Turner Valley Champion — Vulcan Vulcan—Junction Highway 24 Green Court—South of Blue Ridge South of Blue Ridge—South of Radio Range Stn South of Radio Range Station—Whitecourt Junction Highway 41—North of Clandonald North of Clandonald—Dewberry Dewberry — Marwayne Donnelly — Falher West of Blueberry Corner—B.C. Boundary Big Valley—East of Scollard Entwistle—Drayton Valley Cold Lake Airport—North of Marie Creek	3.86 0.69 13.46 11.78 1.16 3.20 7.90 3.82 4.41 10.30 3.77 19.07 2.17 7.18 8.76	D.O.H. Contract Contract D.O.H. Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
	TOTAL	101.53 Miles	
	By Contract By Department of Highways	59.33 Miles 42.20 Miles	
	TOTAL	101.53 Miles	



Highway No. 16, East of Obed, showing Asphaltic Plant Mix Surface Course

REPLACEMENT GRAVEL SURFACING SECONDARY HIGHWAYS

Highway	Location	Miles	Work Done By
18-A-2	Barrhead Corner—Holmes Crossing	21.49	D.O.H.
24-A 35-A-2 & B	Vulcan Corner—Junction Highway No. 1 Dixonville—North of Hotchkiss	$\frac{43.99}{32.72}$	Contract D.O.H.
43-A-2	East of Sangudo—West of Green Court	19.97 26.32	D.O.H.
57-A	Entwistle—Drayton Valley	26.32	D.O.H.
	TOTAL	144.49 Miles	
	By Contract	43.99 miles	
	By Department of Highways	100.50 Miles	
	TOTAL	144.49 Miles	

GRAVELLING SUMMARY

First Course Gravelling	Main Hig	hways	Secondary Highways 101.53 144.49	Totals 197.20 144.49
TOTALS	95	5.67	246.02	341.69
By Contract	86 9	.67	103.32 142.70	189.99 151.70
TOTALS	95	.67	246.02	341.69

By

STABILIZED GRAVEL BASE COURSE MAIN HIGHWAYS

Work Done B Contract	Work Done By Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract D.O.H.
Shoulder Widening	*
Type Type Lift Asphalt Bound Top Lift Asphalt Bound	Type Type Top Lift Asphalt Bound Sississis
9.13 9.13 2.99 2.99 2.99 2.99 2.03 2.03 3.50 1.01	HIGHWAYS Miles 6.40 7.95 3.03 10.06 14.38 Miles 29.51 Miles 14.38 Miles 43.89 Miles
Highway Location 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2B-3 2-C-1 & 2 Clovestleaf—Forest Lawn 2-C-1 & 2 Concerteaf—Forest Lawn 2-C-2 & 2 Clovestleaf—Forest Lawn 2-C-2 & 2 Clovestleaf—East of Didsbury 2-C-2 E. of Didsbury—East of Didsbury 2-C-2 E. of Didsbury—East of Didsbury 2-C-2 E. of Didsbury—East of Didsbury 2-C-3 Concerteaf—Forestwin 2-C-4 Concerteaf—Forestwin 2-C-4 Concerteaf—Forestwin 2-C-4 Concerteaf—East of Carvel 2-C-4 Concerteaf—Forestwin 3-B-3 & A Confered—Porteaf Condor—Rocky Mountain House Condor—Rocky Mountain Condor—Rocky Mountain Coleman Vest of Richdale—Ventury Condor—Rocky Mountain Coleman Vert of Richdale—Forest of Pedicy Coleman Coleman Coleman Vert of Richdale—Forest Coleman Vert of Richdale Coleman Vert of R	Highway Location 12-D-1 12-D-1 Wetaskiwin — Pigeon Lake 27-A 39-A-1 Whitecourt—West of Chickadee Creek Whitecourt—West of Highways TOTAL By Department of Highways TOTAL TOTAL SECONDARY SECONDARY TOTAL TOTAL

	Work Done By Contract	D.O.H. D.O.H. Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract D.O.H. D.O.H.	D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract	Work Done By D.O.H.	D.O.H. Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract Contract	
CING	Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat 3" Plant Mix Surface Course 3" Plant Mix Surface Course Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat Seal Coat	Second 2. Lift Flant Mix Surface Seal Coat Seal Coat 4" Plant Mix Surface Course 4" Plant Mix Surface Course 2"—4" Plant Mix Surface Course 3" Plant Mix Surface Course 4" Plant Mix Surface Course 7" Plant Mix Surface Course 8" Plant Mix Surface Course		iles iles AYS AYS Type 4" Plant Mix Surface Course	First 2" First 2" First 2" 3" Plant 4" Plant First 2" 4" Plant 4" Plant	94.73 Miles 71.10 Miles 23.63 Miles 94.73 Miles
SURFA	33.69 33.69 33.69 33.10 22.24 22.14 10.12 10.12	00 01 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	11.26 10.265 17.365 13.325 13.325 13.325 13.325 14.73 17.34	456.98 M 404.06 M 52.92 M 456.98 M HIGHW Miles	14.250 15.71 15.71 16.79 17.69 10.83	94.73 71.10 23.63
ASPHALTIC SURFACING MAIN HIGHWAYS	e Hat — Walsh e Hat — Walsh f Kininvie—Medicine Hat — West of Kininvie ore — Bassano — Strathmore af Intersection af Intersection af Intersection — Aldersyde	Calgary Airport—Junction Highway No. 1 Calgary Airport—Junction Highway No. 1 Calgary Airport—Junction Highway No. 1 Calgary — Airdrie Through Cloverleaf Ponoka — Lacombe Ponoka — Lacombe Ponoka — Lacombe Ponoka — Lacombe Ponoka — Netskiwin Edmonton — Nisku North of Nampa—Peace River Junction Highway No. 34—Beaverlodge Bellevue — Coleman Cardston — Mountain View Sylvan Lake — Condor Lindbrook—West of Bruce Lindbrook—West of Bruce Lindbrook—West of Bruce		By Contract By Department of Highways TOTAL TOTAL SECONDARY	Ukotoks — Biack Diamond Lacombe — Bentley Wetaskiwin — Pigeon Lake Barons — Champion Olds — Sundre Leduc — Calmar Town of Ponoka	By Contract By Department of Highways TOTAL
	Highway 1-A-1 & 32 1-A-2 & 31 1-B-2 & 31 1-B-3/2 A	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	16-C-1 & 2 16-C-3 16-C-3 16-D-1 16-D-2 & 3 40.00-E-172 40.00-E-15	Highway 7-A	12-D-1 19-A-1 23-A-1 27-A 39-A-1 40.00-E27	

TRANS-CANADA HIGHWAY

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM APRIL 1, 1956 TO MARCH 31, 1957

APPROPRIATION 2156 HIGHWAYS AND 2156 LOCATIONS

PROJECT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	ENGINEERING	GRADING	CULVERTS	GUIDE POSTS	FENCING	COMPENSATION	TELEPHO	STABILIZED ND GRAVEL NE BASE COURSE	SEAL COAT	ASPHALTIC SURFACE COURSE	SHOULDERING	CENTRE-LIN PAINTING	RAILROAD CROSSING E PROTECTION	UNEMPLOYMEN N INSURANCE
1-A=1 1-A=2 1-B-3 1-B-1 1-B-2 1-B-3/2 1-B-3/2 1-B-3/2 1-C-1/1 1-C-1/1 1-C-1/2 1-C-1/3 1-C-2/1 1-C-2/1 1-C-2/2 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3 1-C-2/3	Walsh to Dunmore Dunmore to Suffield Suffield to Brooks Brooks to Bassano Bassano to Glaichen Corner Gleichen Corner to Strathmore Strathmore to Chestermere Lake Chestermere Lake to Calgary Calgary to Bowness Bowness to So. of Cochrane So. of Cochrane to So. of Radnor Radnor to Banff Park Gates So. of Radnor to Kananaskis River Kananaskis River to "The Gap" "The Gap" to Banff Park Gates City of Calgary	\$ 54,579.56 72,657.41 129,391.51 21,052.25 43,451.06 56,842.84 579,400.06 352,882.88 10,555.88 95,775.51 205,989.09 360,633.15 98,246.51 418,365.33 744,889.01 295,027.30 1,003.71	\$ 1,334.96 2,352.02 3,360.56 2,054.10 1,313.57 2,045.45 16,190.33 17,470.66 10,434.56 3,822.61 15,096.69 21,244.04 8,860.92 18,285.98 21,965.10 20,968.41	35,854.10 12,743.66 113,642.10 259,757.41 89,370.81 310,974.95 647,547.74 228,424.81	\$20.90 55.50 43,935.68 46,247.21 64,386.82 75,313.06 44,948.47	\$ 1,450.41 255.35 3.25 1,389.47 1,955.80 3,152.66 13,970.55	46.24 6,312.78 6,584.65 15,040.01	\$ 87.00 75.00 1,482.00 1,650.00 110.00 91,947.00 26,906.45 26,755.50 9,643.75	90.00	3,364.25 184,587.70 131,261.24	\$ 51,138.23 68,761.14 124,948.64 17,736.94 34,701.34 37,448.95 59,098.73 44,744.88	149.00 7,966.17 230,950.20 101,365.73	4,476.60	\$ 649.06 1,193.28 1,074.40 1,033.23 1,562.69 558.11 567.52 1,499.78	\$ 2,497.45	\$ 6.90 8.62 4.66 3.98 7.39 13.35 40.88 61.14 11.32 5.90 25.89 44.34 14.78 33.82 63.11 82.29
		\$3.540,743.06	\$166,799.96	\$1,698,315.58	\$275,707.64	\$23,181.20	\$27,983.68	\$158,656.70	\$ 762.82	\$319,213.19	\$438,578.85	\$340,431.10	\$80,048.45	\$8,138.07	\$2,497.45	\$428.37

Salaries in the amount of \$24,589.46 is included.

Summary - Appropriation 2154 - \$28,844,505.68 3,540,743.06

Grand Total \$32,385,248.74

emorandum: Reimbursements by Canada of 50% of Shareable Expenditure including bridges, under Trans-Canada-Highway-Dominion Provincial Agreement, dated April 24, 1950 and new agreement dated June 22, 1956 as follows:

December 10, 1949 - April 24, 1950 April 25, 1950 - March 31, 1951 April 1, 1951 - March 31, 1952 April 1, 1952 - March 31, 1953 April 1, 1953 - March 31, 1954 April 1, 1954 - March 31, 1955 April 1, 1955 - March 31, 1956 April 1, 1956 - March 31, 1957	\$ 14,975.87 192,106.23 1,081,317.54 2,872,710.18 2,605,951.57 935,220.23 2,206,074.14 1,365,045.56
	\$11,273,401.32

MAIN HIGHWAYS CONSTRUCTION

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM APRIL 1, 1956 TO MARCH 31, 1957

APPROPRIATION 2154

1						AFFROFRI	ATION 2154									
PROJECT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	ENGINEERING	GRADING	CULVERTS	GUIDE POSTS	FENCING	COMPENSATION	MOVING POWER AND N TELEPHONE LINES	GRAVEL SURFACING	STABILIZED GRAVEL BASIC COURSE	ASPHALTIC SURFACE COURSE	SHOULDERING	SEAL COAT		RAILROAD E CROSSING PROTECTION
2-A-1 2-B-1	Carway to Cardston Fort Macleod to Stavely	\$ 31.36 144.89	4 311 60				-		,		\$ 31.36					-
2∞B∞1 .2=B=2 2∞B∞3	Stavely to High River High River to Calgary	17,150.94 628,291.33	\$ 144.89 34,386.12 \$	233,398.77	k da naa da	* 7 127 26 ·	ë 5 050 0 6	\$ 17,033.57 31,231.76	3 1 610 10		61 169 10	å 110 665 da å	22 242 00	å 50 0/2 20	\$ 117.37	à o o(, oo
2-C=1 2-C=2	Calgary to Carstairs Carstairs to Bowden	1,610,082.59 2,148,175.38	67,500.23 56,577.57	373,846.79 57,831.06	98,970.24 27,623.38	3,021.37	2,421.14 494.53	51,016.25 28,801.29	1,225.40	\$ 20,363.90	61,187.10 770,118.66 1,946,387.20	\$ 119,665.83 \$ 142,546.16 13,011.69	6,380.88	72,963.30 68,827.61	3,371.97 3,843.96 2,600.08	\$ 2,064.09
2-C-3 2-D-1	Bowden to Red Deer Red Deer to Ponoka	22,492.77 443.791.17	20,053,23		873.00	-, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -, -		864.00	717027		6,610.30	304,853.38	110,123,26	^	413.50	
2-D-3	Ponoka to Millet Millet to Edmonton Edmonton to Legal	254,074.69 13,293.96	4,345.13 1,457.38	6,317.51		297.95 1,156.01		285.00		44.36	54,909.13 603.47	89,903.00 8,451.44	97,483.31		489.30	
2-B=2 2-B=3 2-C-1 2-C-2 2-C-3 2-D=1 2-D=2 2-D=3 2-E-1 2-E-2 2-E-3	Legal to Rochester Rochester to Athabasca	2,496.25 400.25 387.75	207.50					400.25				•	. •		,,	2,496,25
2-H-1	Donnelly to Peace River	1,617,034.43	49,604.67	235,399.74	13,076.08			180.25		22,187.20	899,229.56	304,377.35	89,792.02		5.81	
2-H -2 2-J -1	6th Mamidian to Dunuana	1,337.44						.609.00 294.00				451.96			276.48	2,064.46
2J2 ?K1	Dunvegan to Woking Woking to Jct. of #34 Hwy. Jct. of #34 Hwy. to Beaverlodge Beaverlodge to B. Boundary.	4,926.36 920.857.45	4,926.36 15,178.19	4,431.11	2,147.79			1,977.50	151.50		85,25	618,433,95	278,423.48		28.68	
-K-2 -A-2	Bow Island to Taber	917,054.90 425.00	40,934.18	323,505.28	20,491,85			15,465.00	155.39	25,667.94	398,217.47		11,128.80	425.00	31.99	
Bul Bu2	Taber to Lethbridge Lethbridge to Fort Macleod Fort Macleod to Pincher	425.00 2,871.89	144.89			•		2,727.00						425.00		
3 ~3 3 ~4	Pincher to Frank Frank to Crowsnest	144.89 68,640.52 87,483.68	144.89 9,967.40 6,493.21	2,724.80 2,778.99	404.34			305.00 105.00		956.00	12,750.41	31,436.20 30,779.85	3,840.81	936.00	319.56	
-A-3 -B-1 B-2 3-3 3-4 1-2 1-1 A-2	Warner to Coutts Lethbridge to Cardston	144.89 2,546.22	144.89 52.49					107,000			2/3422009	30,779.83	19,903.54	1,692,53	\$01,20	
	Cardston to Waterton Park Pincher to Waterton	488,836.13 412.53	17,495.28	137,868.14	14,029.23	20.07	2,955.14	5,857.00		7,064.25	63.70	302,969.18		1,072,07	514.14 412.53	
\ \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Okotoks to Black Diamond Inverlake to Beiseker	121,796.43	9,425.68					322.30			1,740,90	109,823.56 2,914.00			483.49	
\-2 8-1 8-2 0-1	Beismer to Drumheller Drumheller to Hanna Hanna to Youngstown	2,155.65 23,020.09 654,156.39	144.89 718.34	847.05	10,787.01		• •	1,802.50 50.00 702.80			3,093.23	68.26		140.00	794.21	6,730.25
3≈1 3≈2	Youngstown to Excel Excel to Alsask	381,210.65	27,518,77 23,111.02 15,421.59	101,921.24 55,262.31	27,709.21		1,630.84	3,872.52 2,982.00		14,730.47	424,099.81 208,235.35	201,166.27			651,64	
A l-A-1	Drumheller to East Coulee Red Deer to Sylvan Lake	199,330.56	15,421.59 12,805.32	2,214.08	,,,			1,090.00		,/-/40/	183,123.70 23.80			•	97.46	0.037
L≈A≈2 ∞A≈3	Sylvan Lake to Condor Condor to Rocky Mountain House	393,474.42 850,887.17	10,684.03	254.83	1,722.93			3,134.00 265.40			10.66	310,584.63 272.01	68,271.99		789.11 614.46	2,016.44
L=B 2=A	Rocky Mountain House to Braseau Compeer to Veteran	12.66 111.11 15,084.83	12.66				•	111.11					_,,,		014840	
2≈8≈1 :≈3≈2 :=D≈1	Veteran to Castor Castor to Stettler Lacombe to Rimbey	833,462.49	15,084.83 51,017.13 12,751.50	25,018.17	1,556.79		111.71	5,403.96 30.00	183.20	7,279.34	742,557.26 91,023.75	204 201 12			334.93 673.94	
2~D~2 3≈A	Rimbey to Norbuck Hayter to Hughenden	19100 528,657.32		387,526.75	29,661.66		8,039.88	. 19.00	206.56	36,603.22	91,023.73	206,921.42			673.94	
-B-1 3-B-2	Hughenden to Sedgewick Sedgewick to Daysland Camrose to Wetaskiwin	539,192.49	35,414.75 31,115.43 86.25	1,549.87	391.62			1,105.80		,.,,	435,152.31	69,560.50			316.96	
; ~B ∞4 A	Saskatchewan Bdry. to Wainwright	2,496.79 401,390.43	33,778.94	258,735.02 487. 5 0	28,502.22		421.67			56,273.58						2,496.79
4-B-1 4-B-2	Wainwright to Irma Irma to Viking	7,163.31 166,182.54	274.81 4,825.97 36,136.63 6,214.63	237.00 340.50				6,401,00			142,090.18	18,345.39				
.44B+3 .44C+1	Viking to Holden Holden to Tofield	166,182,54 768,520,68 298,697,74 27,416,30	6,214.63 1,635.74	740.70		1,572.29		1,902.00			533,346.44 2,126.36 1,568.95	171,639.09 227,827.14	24,632.63 60,713.93		523.39	
4-C=2 C=3 A-1	Tofield to Cooking Lake Cooking Lake to Edmonton Edmonton to Fort Saskatchewan	3,791.34	8.33 5,625.47	251,579,00	427,62	3,783.01	409.26	5,554.00	333,50	734.54	1,000,95	21,036.48	1,600,82		2.02	
7-A-2	Fort Saskatchewan to Mundare Vermilion to Innisfree	1,038,371.13	44,644.00	530,498.41	63,034,93	14.78	321.29	62,467.13		734.54 46,577.89	290,723,60					103.88
-B⊷1 ->-B⊷2	Vegreville to Chipman Corner Chipman Corner to Edmonton	716.18 3,106.38	2.75 12.99			3,034.39		59•Ò0							713.43	

MAIN HIGHWAYS CONSTRUCTION

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM APRIL 1, 1956 TO MARCH 31, 1957

APPROPRIATION 2154

PROJECT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	ENGINEERING	GRADING	CULVERTS	GUIDE POSTS	FENCING	COMPENS ATION	MOVING POWER AND TELEPHONE LINES		STABILIZED GRAVEL BASIC COURSE	ASPHALTIC SURFACE COURSE	SHOULDERING SEAL COA	CENTRE/LINE T PAINTING 1	RAILROAD CROSSING PROTECTION
16-C-1 16-C-2 16-C-3 16-D-1 16-D-2	Edmonton to Carvel Gorner Carvel Corner to Entwislte Entwistle to Carrot Creek Carrot Creek to Edson Edson to Obed	\$ 280,618.63 133,851.08 555,146.06 36,475.31 403,224.04	15,445.10 15,629.59 588.65	7,720.25 \$ 1,776.31 294.55	155.60 6.966.32	78.88	33.49	\$ 3,167.25 \$ 229.00 252.00	33.98	\$	49,492.64	\$ 121,470.70 \$ 46,466.43 312,269.62 19,831.77	16,030.34 \$ 9,328.30 173,123.90 3,126.	143.60	
16-D-3 17-A 18-A-1	Obed to Jasper Park Boundary Lloydminster to Rivercourse Clyde Corner to Barrhead Corner	1,370,651.81 85,311.16 404.23		75,861.10 44,841.54	1,145.11	10,066.75	196.08	9,469.94 7,675.00 757.00		15,323.13 39,712.62	6,323.83 1,150,714.72	271,423.59 54,819.55	97,073.48 17,692.23	1,006.48	
18-A-2 19-A-1 19-A-2	Barrhead Corner to Fort Assiniboine Wetaskiwin to Westerose Westerose to Norbuck	51,778.24 474,998.04 120.00	3,344.87	9,891.54 62,910.59	784.72	212,63	295.67	350.00 550.00 270.00 120.00		54.23 36,911.44	230,296.36	143,389.20	14,882.10	708.25	
21-A-1 21-A-2 21-B-2	Beiseker to Trochu Trochu to Jet. of Hwy. #12 Bashaw to Ervick	11,706.89 371.62 560.00						610.13 371.62 560.00							
22-A 23-A-1 23-A-2 24-A	Midnapore to Black Diamond Monarch to Champion Champion to High River Vulcan Corner to Cheadle	14,593.62 246,372.37 677,643.10	4,953.46 8,422.11 45,001.76	8,938.94	205.32		304.07	124.00 3,945.00 18,800.28	185.90	371.90		231,511.51		486.23	2,007.52 202.88
25-A 27-A 28-A-1	Lethbridge to Turin Olds to Sundre Edmonton to Opal	50,248,54 16,610,35 495,118,24 9,374,65	45,001.76 2,068,91 9,470.34 17,445.64 65.69	3,201.26 25,451.22 811.61	646.53 304.00	5,914.15	472.95	800.00 3,074.32 838.00 1,736.00		47,379.63	864.43 99,159.41	343,316.84	6,782.55	1,005.10	
28-A-2 28-B-1 28-B-2 28-G-3	Opal to Waskatenau Waskatenau to Vilna Vilna to St. Paul	251,412.81 9,289.32 2,972.72	8.630.36	222.40 6,375.93 1,260.11	553.82 293.96	269.60	15.00	1,009.00 2,350.72 1,403.65			543.20 241,281.45				
4-A-3 5-A-1	East of Rife to Shamrock Valley Valleyview to 6th Meridian 6th Meridian to Jct. of Hwy. #2 Grimshaw to Dixonville	47.00 245,324.42 353,404.25	3,192.28 22,404.29	520.57 264,975.79	2,537.18 34,998.16		36.75	47.00 20,931.55 489.00		30,500.26	218,142.84				
5-A-2 5-B 5-A-3	Dixonville to Hotchkiss Hotchkiss to 28th Base Line Castor to Hanna	93.00 53,724.38 1,081.82 70.25	1,416.73					93.00 360.00 136.00 70.25		51,947.65 420.00					
5∞B=1 5∞B=2 5-B=3 5-C3	Viking to East of Lavoy East of Lavoy to Two Hills Two Hills to St. Brides	1,028.80 76,958.28 1,450.50 5,580.31	12,518.62	45,434.73 345.00	9,432.10		544.91	1,028.80 2,986.00 1,105.50		6,041.92					
5-D-1 9-A-1	North of Duchess to Brooks Taber to Vauxhall Leduc to 5th Meridian	13,299.28 261,732.95	13,299.28 21,409.06	28,00 67,80	250.06			784.71		85.50	4,906.63	202,521.98		310,58	
?≈A≈2 .l≈A≈1 .l≈A≈2 .l~B≈1	5th Meridian to Norbuck Wainwright to Vermilion Vermilion to Jct. of Hwy. #28 Wainwright to Czar	245.38 235.17 39.10 14,001.74	147.58 235.17 14,001.74					30.00		39.10					
.3-A-1 .3-A-2 .3-B-1	Carvel Corner to Sangudo Sangudo to Whitecourt Whitecourt to Iosegun Lake	328,330.78 963,543.7 556,923.48	8.498.03	414.65 746,477.10 35,342.46 17,745132	164.08 110,907.98 831.64			500.00 7,568,38 169.00		22.00 59,080.57 58.54	318,696.98 226.56 465,122.54	35.04 20.7 69.60			
3-B-2 4-A-1 4-A-2	Iosegun Lake to Valleyview Westlock to Flatbush Flatbush to Smith	663,346.07 10,282.43 4,711.20	38,969.32 10,282.43 22.00 5,848.38	17,745132 4,689.20 24,198.78	622.80	,		5,183.00		1,123.21	581,135.08	24,285.14			
,5-8-1 5-8-2 · 5-8-3 ·6-A	Junction of Hwy. #44 to Dewberry Dewberry to Marwayne Marwayne to Saskatchewan Boundary Redway to Boyle	53,490.11 304,694.10 9,384.33 40.60	17,408.92 9,384.33	198,578.48	37,394.32		808.50		5,055.65	21,723.23					
49-A-1 49-A-2 49-A-3	Radway to Boyle Donnelly to Watino Watino to Belloy Belloy to Rycroft	188,059.51 4,437.15 110.00	9,570.29	128,552.01 4,015.33	18,721.95			7,817.00 421.82 110.00	3,413.25	19,985.01					
9→B -1 49 -B+2 53 -A	Rycroft to Blueberry Corner Blueberry Corner to Gordondale Ponoka to East of Wood River	9,20 273,723,77 449,54 367,00	9.20	189,790.48 295.00	22,950.03			13,205.00		31,648.33					
54~A 55~A 56~A~1 56~A~2	Innisfail to Clearwater River Foot Saskatchewan to Bremner Stettler to East of Scollard East of Scollard to Morrin Corner	7,746.20 136,251.23 13,000.84	6,526.14 13,000.84	6,158.45	10,900.41	289.50		543.00	3,044.68	755.25					
57-A 57-B5 43.43	Entwistle to Drayton Valley Drayton Valley to Alsike Cold Lake Airport to 8.5 Miles North	93,408.02 152,509.57 47,040.72	7,821.52 26,380.96 3,977.37	28,900.29 121,880.11 36,225.37	491.17		2,68	61.00 4,237.50		56,131.36 11.00 5,275.73					

MAIN HIGHWAYS CONSTRUCTION

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM APRIL 1, 1956 TO MARCH 31, 1957

APPROPRIATION 2154

PROJECT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	ENGINEERING	GRADING	CULVERTS	GUIDE POSTS	FENCING	COMPENSATION	MOVING POWER AND TELEPHONE LINES	GRAVEL SURFACING	GRAVEL BASIC COURSE	ASPHAITIC SURFACE COURSE	SHOULDERING	SEAL COAT	CENTRE→LIN PAINTING	
43.44A	West of Donnelly to So. of Little Smoky River	\$ 698,951.66	\$ 24,422.75 \$	563,206.59	\$ 53,094.97 \$		*	\$ 13,553.00 \$	560.00	\$ 44,114-35 {	•	+ 4	•	\$	*	*
43.44B	So. of Little Smoky River to Valleyview Town of Blairmore	134,519.90	25,017.83	92,344.50 9,380.79		,				17,157.57	23,301.01	21,366.67				
40.00 E10 40.00 E15	Village of Cochrane Town of Edson Town of Lacombe Town of Ponoka City of Red Deer Village of Bentley Town of Castor Town of Grande prairie Village of Beaverlodge	134,519,90 25, 54,048,47 1,501,50 81,090,47 4, 8,957.06 4,451,43 23,581,08 1, 12,677.67 2,279.61 19,886.01 288.45 60.00 2,618.87 18,071.34 25,492.80 49,711.36	4,889.95 167.20	63.68				1,501.50 75.00			27,681.56 270.11	8,789.86	10,285.33			
40.00 E27 40.00 E28 40.00 E59 40.00 E77 40100 E90 40.00 E114			115.50	22,409.65						4,426.12	8,251.55					
		2,279.61 19,886.01 288.45	40.00	577.84	701.06					1,000.71	306.41	19,579.60 288.45				
40.00 E127	Hamlet of Donnelly Village of Picture Butte	2,618.87 18.071.34	60,00 .				-	2,618.87		= 4/0 OF	6,162.24	11,909.10				
40.00 E150 40.00 E166 40.00 E172	Town of Calmar Village of Frank Town of Jasper Place	Jasper Place 49,711.36 2,306		2,306.23 9,000.00					7,869.95		15,316.62 24,916.91					
		\$28,353,504,36	\$1,391,653.83	6,371,567.64	\$735,930.28 \$	38,935.56	\$25,986.3	6 \$495,721.68 \$	16,734.36	\$865,106.91	\$11,730,494.34	\$5,308,747.66	1,177,766.95	\$148,535.5	\$ \$26,140.65	\$20,182.56

WERAL:

Equipment
Workmen's Compensation
Gravel Research and Pit Sidings
Head Office Administration
Board
Unemployment Insurance
Laboratory

\$ 10,220.08 38,816.53 109,623.75 237,258.36 10,680.31 8,258.41 76,143.88 \$28,844,505.68



STABILIZED BASE AND ASPHALTIC SURFACING SUMMARY

By D.O.H. (Stabilized Base Course for Shoulder Widening) By Contract (Stabilized Base Course) By D.O.H. (Stabilized Base Course) By Contract (Asphaltic Plant Mix Surface Course) By D.O.H. (Asphaltic Plant Mix Surface Course) By Contract (Seal Coat)	217.61 21.89 250.83	Miles Miles Miles Miles
By D.O.H. (Seal Coat) Stabilized Base Course for Shoulder Widening Stabilized Base Course Asphaltic Plant Mix Course Asphaltic Seal Coat		Miles Miles

SUMMARY OF MATERIALS

First Course Gravel Surfacing	223,400	Cu. Yds.
Replacement Gravel Surfacing	79,950	Cu. Yds.
Subgrade Backfill Material	141,022	Cu. Yds.
Stabilized Base Course Gravel	4,095,296	Tons
Asphaltic Surfacing Aggregate	852,766	
Shouldering Aggregate	232.870	
Seal Coat 1/2'' Chips	35,009	Cu. Yds.
Total Asphalt Used	20,937,346	Gallons

TOTAL GRAVEL TAKEN OUT UNDER ALL PROJECTS

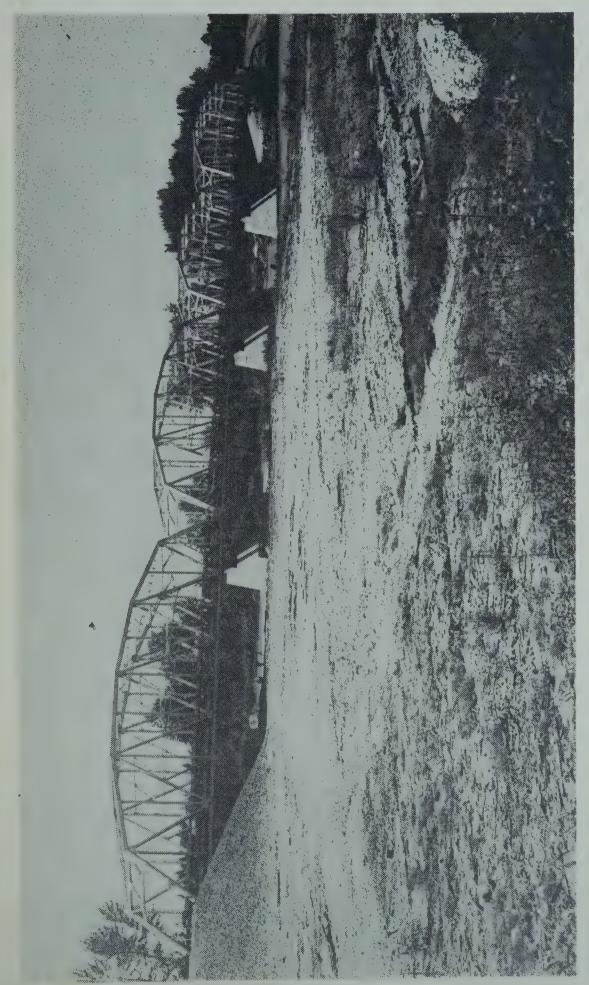
	Department of Highways	Contract	Total Cubic Yards
Pit Run to Trucks	65,807	67,834	133,641
Pit Run to Stockpile Pit Run from Stockpile Crush to Trucks Crush to Stockpile Crush from Stockpile Crush to R.R. Cars	1,688,608 4,584 214,685 366,602 360,164 42,422	12,486 2,481,939 31,124 984,508 12,908	1,688,608 17,070 2,696,624 397,726 1,344,672 55,330
TOTALS	2,742,872	3,590,799	6,333,671

CENTRE LINE PAINTING

Highway	Location	Miles	Work Done By
1-A-1 1-A-2 1-A-3 1-B-1 1-B-2 1-B-3/1 1-B-3/2A 1-B-3/2	Saskatchewan Border—Medicine Hat Dunmore — Suffield Suffield — Brooks Brooks — Bassano Bassano — Gleichen Corner Gleichen Corner — Strathmore Strathmore—Junction No. 1 and No. 1A	31.0 42.0 29.0 42.5 13.0 22.5	D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
2-B-3 2-C-1 2-C-1 2-C-2 2-D-1 2-D-2	Junction No. 1 and No. 1A—Calgary DeWinton — Calgary Calgary — Airdrie Southeast Didsbury—North Airdrie Southeast Didsbury—Junction No. 2A Lacombe — Ponoka Wetaskiwin South 13 miles	27.5 25.0 9.) 20.0 17.0 13.0	D.O.H. D.O.H. (4 lanes) D.O.H. (2 lanes) D.O.H. (4 lanes) D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
2-D-3 2-H-2 3-B-3 5-A-1 5-A-2 6-A 7-A	Edmonton South Whitelaw Corner — Fairview Bellevue—1 mile East Coleman Cardston Northeast Cardston — Mountain View Drywood River South Okotoks — Black Diamond	$egin{array}{c} 12.0 \\ 7.0 \\ 20.0 \\ 16.0 \\ 8.0 \\ \end{array}$	(4 lanes) D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
9-B-1 9-B-2 11-A-2 11-A-3 12-B-2 12-D-1 13-B-1	1 mile West Delia—Hanna Hanna — Scotfield Sylvan Lake — Condor Condor — Rocky Mountain House Stettler — Gadsby Lacombe — Bentley	20.0 28.0 19.0 19.0 15.0 14.0	D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
14-B-3 14-C-1 16-B-1 16-C-1 16-C-2 16-C-3	Killam — Lougheed Holden—4 miles West Viking Holden—8 miles East Lindbrook Vegreville—2 miles East Chipman Corner Junction No. 43 East Junction No. 43 West 7 miles East Chip Lake—Carrot Creek	18.0 29.0 23.0 6.0 4.0 25.0	D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
16-D-1 16-D-2 16-D-3 19-A-1 23-A-1 27-A 39-A-1	Edson East Galloway — Obed Obed—Jasper Park Gates Wetaskiwin — Pigeon Lake Barons — Champion Olds — Sundre Leduc — Calmar	16.0 35.0 24.0 16.0 24.0	D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H. D.O.H.
	TOTAL	774.5	

PROTECTION AT RAILWAY CROSSINGS AT GRADE

Highway	Location		Type of Protection
2	½ Mile South of Morinville	N.A.R.	Flashing Light Signals and Bell
2	2 Miles West of Peace River	N.A.R.	Flashing Light Signals and Bell
9	½ Mile North of Munson	C.N.R.	Flashing Light Signals and Bell
11	East Boundary of Sylvan Lake	C.N.R.	Flashing Light Signals and Bell
13	1 Mile North of Wetaskiwin	C.P.R.	Flashing Light Signals and Bell



Fort Assiniboine Bridge over Athabasca River on Highway No. 18-A-2 Through Steel Trusses on Concrete

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

L. H. McMANUS, Chief Bridge Engineer

Bridge construction and maintenance were carried out during the year by nineteen fully-equipped Government Bridge Crews and 21 contracts were awarded for bridge construction.

Two major bridges begun last year are still under construction and do not appear in the summary of bridges completed. These are the North Saskatchewan River Bridge at Fort Saskatchewan and the Little Smoky River Bridge on Highway 43.44 south of Donnelly. Several major bridges begun this year will not be completed until next year and do not appear in the summary. These include the North Saskatchewan River Bridge at Lea Park north of Marwayne and the North Saskatchewan River Bridge on Hwy. 57 near Drayton Valley. Engineering and preliminary work was carried out on the bridge to be built over the Peace River at Dunvegan.

Following is listed the details of a few of the major bridges completed in 1956-57 and a summary of the year's work.

Willow Creek Bridge, 2 miles north of Fort Macleod

Continuous steel girder on concrete substructure. Type:

Span: 72' — 90' — 72'.

Clear Rdwy: 24'.

Kneehill Creek Bridge, 1/2 mile west and 1/2 mile south of Linden.

Type: Steel hinged girder on concrete substructure.

 $40' - 60' - \bar{4}0'$. Span:

Clear Rdwy: 24'.

Castor Creek Bridge, ½ mile south east of Castor on Highway 12B.

Composite steel girder on concrete substructure. Type:

50' — 60' — 80'. 44'. Span:

Clear Rdwy:

Lobstick River Bridge, 1 mile North of Evansburg.

Type: Continuous steel girder on concrete substructure.

Span: 90' — 90' — 90'.

Clear Rdwy: 24'.

Harmon River Bridge in Town of Peace River.

Type: Continuous steel girder on concrete substructure.

55' — 75' — 55'. 36'. Span:

Clear Rdwy:

Willow Creek Bridge, 3 miles west of Woodhouse.

Type: Prestressed concrete on concrete substructure.

80' — 80' — 80' — 80'. 24'. Span:

Clear Rdwy:

Strawberry Creek Bridge, 6 miles west, 21/2 miles north of

Sunnybrook.

Type: Prestressed concrete on concrete substructure.

50' - 50' - 50'. Span:

Clear Rdwy:

Connemara Bridge over Little Bow River, 13 miles west of Vulcan.

Type: Continuous concrete girder on concrete substructure.

Span: 64' - 80' - 64'.

Clear Rdwy: 24'.

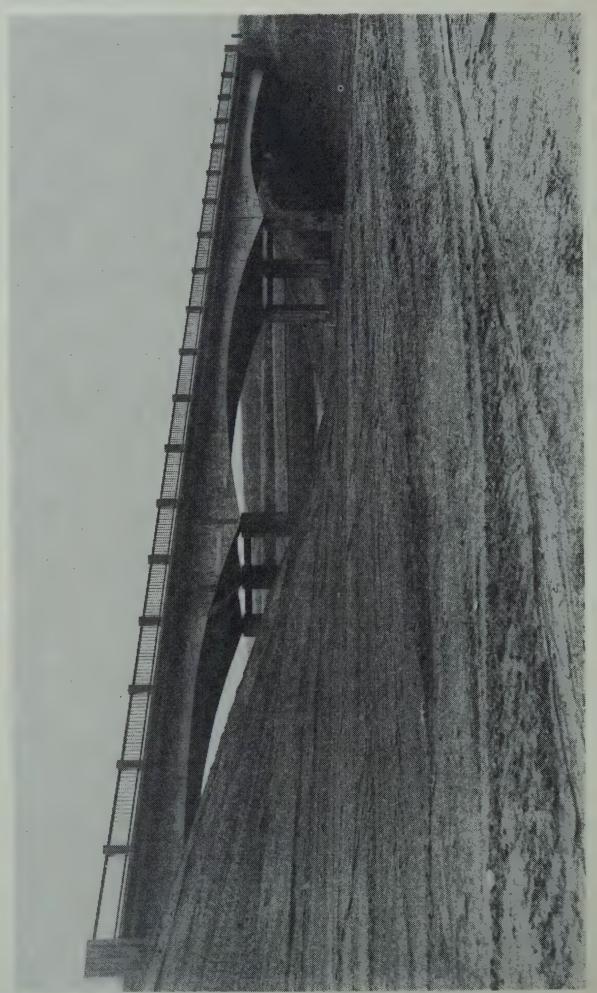
Fort Assiniboine Bridge over Athabasca River on Highway 18-A-2.

Type: Through steel trusses on concrete substructure.

250' - 200' - 200' - 200'. Span:

Clear Rdwy: 24'.

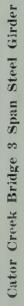
Type: Span: Clear I		Wolf Creek Bridge, Highway 16-D-1, 6 miles east of Edson. Steel girder spans. 90' — 90'. 36'.
Type: Span: Clear I		W.I.D. Canal Bridge in Forest Lawn. Precast, prestressed concrete. 65' — 80' — 80' — 65'. 50' plus 6' sidewalk.
Type: Span: Clear I		Quirk Creek Bridge on Highway 22 near Millarville. Cast-in-place concrete girder. 42' — 60' — 42'. 30'.
S	SUMMARY	Y OF WORK UNDERTAKEN FOR FISCAL YEAR 1956-57
Steel B	Constructe Reconstr Repaired	d
Steel O	verpasses	eted
Precast	Concrete	Bridges eted
Reinfor	Construc	rete Bridges eted 6
Reinfor	Construc	rete Culverts and Cattlepasses eted
Retaini	_	and Ditches ted
Steel C	Construc	ted
Timber	Construc	and Cattlepasses ted
Timber	Reconstru Repaired	ted 15 ucted 36 147 led 7
Low Le	evel Crossi Construc	ing ted3
		TOTAL
Steel B	ridges Construc	ted1
	Construc	TOTAL

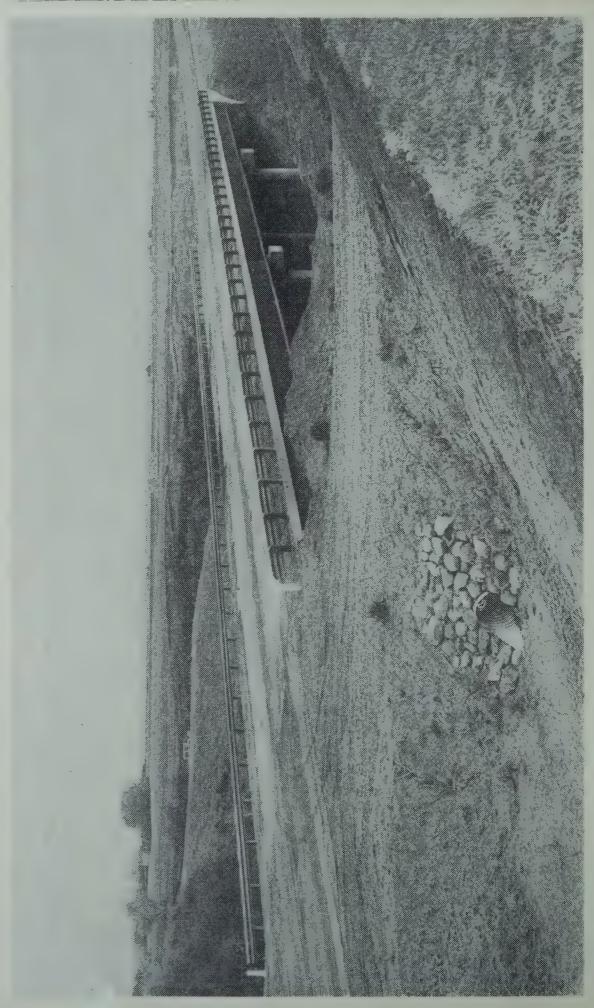


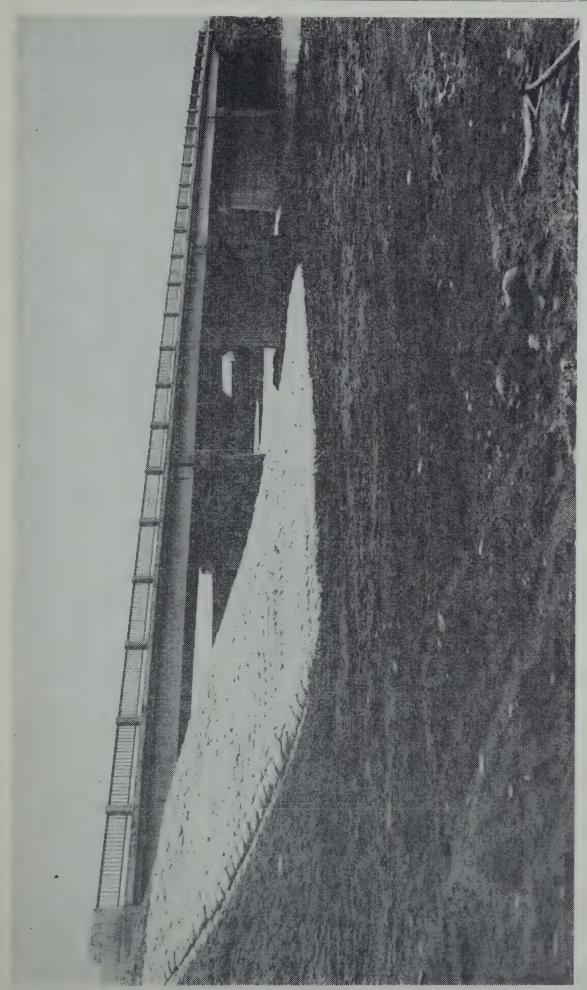
3 Span Bridge over Little Bow River, 13 miles West of Vulcan



Bridge over W.I.D. Canal in Forest Lawn in East Calgary







4 80 Ft. Spans, Willow Creek, 6 miles South, 3 miles West of Claresholm

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES, PROTECTION WORKS AND DAMS

For the Year ended March 31, 1957

MAINTENANCE

I.D. or M.D.	Total	I.D. or M.D.	Total
Head Office Supervision	\$ 18.119.48	M.D. 75	42,657,49
Salaries		I.D. 78	7 000 04
Unemployment Insurance		I.D. 79	000 70
Board	0 4890 814	M.D. 81	10 000 10
Equipment	04 800 84	M.D. 82	
Workmen's Compensation		37.75	FO DOE 04
City of Edmonton		M.D. 83	
City of Calgary		M.D. 86	40 400 04
Indian Reserves		M.D. 87	106.49
Counties	000'000 00	M.D. 89	
Special Areas		M. D. 00	00 744 04
3.5.75	01 710 71	77 00	CO F44 04
350	04 000 40	7/17 02	00 774 00
M.D. O	EO 041, 01	M D O4	111 00
T.D. 40	1 710 01	T D OF	10 011 90
I.D. 10 I.D. 11		T T) 00	00 054 04
T.D. 90		T.D. 100	
35 7	0 ==0 00	3.5.10. 100	
3.5 5		3/F D 700	
M.D. 26	40 004 40	M.D. 106	
I.D. 27		I.D. 107	
M.D. 31	0.00====	I.D. 109	04.04
M.D. 34		I.D. 110	
M.D. 40		M.D. 122	
I.D. 42	62,482.82	I.D. 124	
M.D. 44		I.D. 125	
I.D. 46		I.D. 126	
M.D. 47		M.D. 130	
M.D. 48		I.D. 131	
M.D. 49		I.D. 132	
I.D. 50		M.D. 133	
M.D. 52		I.D. 134	
M.D. 53		M.D. 135	
M.D. 55		M.D. 136	
I.D. 58		I.D. 138	
M.D. 62		I.D. 139	
M.D. 63		I.D. 148	
M.D. 64		I.D. 946	1,059.31
I.D. 65			
M.D. 71	47,889.74	Appropriation No. 2104,	
M.D. 72	. 30,568.33	Income Account	\$2,545,468.42
M.D. 73			
M.D. 74	. 33,392.02		

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE ON MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES, PROTECTION WORKS AND DAMS

For the Year ended March 31, 1957

CONSTRUCTION

I.D. or M.D.	Total	I.D. or M.D.		Total
General Equipment Administration Workmen's Compensation Unemployment Insurance Counties: D 1 County No. 4 D 2 County No. 5 D 4 County No. 2 D 6 County No. 2 D 6 County No. 7 D11 County No. 1 M.D. 6 M.D. 9 I.D. 10 M.D. 14 M.D. 14 M.D. 25 M.D. 26 M.D. 31 M.D. 44 M.D. 48 M.D. 49 M.D. 49 M.D. 49 M.D. 52 M.D. 53 M.D. 55 M.D. 55 M.D. 55 M.D. 64 I.D. 65 M.D. 71 M.D. 73	4,193.03 169,648.79 13,235.81 11,907.93 1,385.70 3,007.24 1,546.06 44,351.24 16,791.70 1,392.28 30,272.07 156,482.34 1,175.38 1,981.28 2,280.31 317,135.69 22,643.77 355,736.45 275,614.77 7,741.70 49,784.02 23,517.11 86,599.18 1,049.71 3,468.28 6,988.59 618,672.83 2,026.70	M.D. 82 M.D. 83 M.D. 84 M.D. 89 M.D. 90 M.D. 90 M.D. 92 M.D. 95 I.D. 101 M.D. 103 M.D. 106 I.D. 107 I.D. 107 I.D. 108 I.D. 130 I.D. 130 I.D. 130 I.D. 131 I.D. 132 I.D. 134 M.D. 136 I.D. 138 I.D. 138 I.D. 138 I.D. 148 Appropriation 2 Capital Acc Trans Canada Appropriation 2 M.D. 44 I.D. 46	ountBridges 156	6,813.24 73,847.28 57,288.76 5,892.14 572,987.23 57,952.67 5,538.86 126,076.20 10,616.48 6,894.55 109,766.05 144,684.59 86,975.52 42,733.16 376,424.96 76,988.61 671.97 3,200.50 53,579.70 330.00 51,167.60 \$4,682,296.85
M.D. 75 I.D. 77 I.D. 78 I.D. 79	68,044.81 509,632.19 3,077.97 481.85	T T		00'004 40
Income Account: Appropriation No. 2104	SUMM			\$2,545,468.42
Appropriation No. 2153	ges)		\$4,682,296.85 404,972.24	5,087,269.09
				\$7,632,737.51

Salaries are included in totals

SURVEYS BRANCH

Report for the Year Ended March 31, 1957 (C. W. LESTER, Director of Surveys)

SURVEYS: Field Work

Twelve field parties were employed during the field season from May the first to the end of October. Eight of the parties made up of Government employees were engaged on the the surveys of main highways, road diversions and miscellaneous surveys requested by other departments. One party was employed during the first half of the season establishing a series of Provincial Bench Marks in the Pembina Valley Oil Field for the purpose of oil well elevations. This party, during the latter part of the season surveyed micro-wave sites requested by the Alberta Government Telephones.

Two private survey parties employed at Government rates completed surveys of new roads and road diversions in the Rocky Mountain House Area and the Drayton-Valley Area.

Another Government Party established twelve miles of control meridians in unsubdivided townships in the Pembina Valley Area as requested by the Department of Mines and Minerals and was for the purpose of Oil Companies to facilitate the location of oil wells in legal subdivisions.

The branch made technical arrangements for approximately five and a half township subdivision surveys which was done under the direction of Mr. G. Palsen, A.L.S. who is employed on the staff of the Department of Lands and Forests. Mr. Palsen also supervised the restoration of Three hundred and Eighty Nine monuments which were destroyed by oil company and seismograph crews.

SURVEYS: Inspections

Due to the volume of field work which was requested of the branch this season, there were no inspections made of surveys. No requests were received from the Registrar of Land Titles Office and discrepancies found on examinations were corrected by Government and private surveyors themselves.

SURVEYS: Office Work

The plans of Two hundred and Ten surveys made during the field season were prepared by the District Surveyors and their Assistants during the winter months. One hundred and seventy plans of Provincial Government surveys and two hundred and one plans of Municipal District Surveys were checked by the draughting room prior to registration in Land Titles Office. One hundred and eighty-two right-of-way plans (Pipe Line, Railway, irrigation, etc.) were checked and approved insofar as public highways were affected as of October 1956. In October the registrars of both Land Titles Offices requested, under the Land Titles Act, that all right-of-way plans be checked in the Surveys Branch as to complete check of mathematical closures and areas. During the months from October to the end of March, 1957, Two hundred and Forty-three plans were thus examined and approved. Eighteen plans of other surveys were prepared and checked by the draughting room staff.

Three maps of the province were prepared and lithographing arrangements made during the year. One planimetric map was lithographed for the department. One planimetric map showing the main pipe lines in

the Province was also lithographed and one map showing the Municipal Districts was prepared and lithographed for the Department of Municipal Affairs. These were all on a scale of one inch to twelve miles. The Branch also made arrangements for the Department of Lands and Forests for the lithographing of two maps of the Province. Other maps prepared for different departments were as follows:

- 1 Provincial Map showing Agricultural Districts.
- 3 Maps of Calgary and Edmonton Metropolitan Areas for the Metropolitan Commission.
- 1 Index Map showing Provincial Government Bench Marks in Pembina Valley Oil Field Area.

Twenty-five Township plans of subdivisions were prepared from Surveyors notes and approved. These were forwarded to the Department of Lands and Forests for lithographing.

At the request of other departments and as ordered from private sources, thirteen Judicial Maps; Two Electoral Maps and One Map showing Municipal Districts were prepared.

Six compiled plans of towns in the Province were prepared and filed. Notifications of transfers forwarded to the registrars of Land Titles covering abandoned roadways and other lands no longer required for public purpose was one hundred and seventy-four less than the previous year. Eight hundred and forty-one of these transfers were prepared transferring the land to adjacent property.

COMPENSATION FOR ROADWAYS

Four right-of-way buyers were employed during the year, two being stationed at Edmonton and two at Calgary. The two buyers stationed at Edmonton handled the work in the Peace River Country. They also negotiated the purchase of micro-wave sites in the Province requested by the Alberta Government Telephones.

The number of vouchers prepared for payments during the year were One thousand and thirty-four made up of the following: Main Highways, Seven hundred and thirty-seven; Trans-Canada Highways, Eighty-two; Improvement District roads, One hundred and Eighty-nine; Alberta Government Telephones, Eighteen; Department of Agriculture, Four; Miscellaneous, Four. The amount of compensation paid on Main Highways vote No. 2154 B, was \$379,847.97; Trans-Canada Vote No. 2156 B, was \$153,884.16 as compared to \$372,044.06 and \$20,805.55 respectively.

APPROVAL OF TOWNSITE PLANS

Six hundred and twenty-eight new townsite subdivision plans were examined and approved with respect to the Alberta Surveys Act and Subdivision Regulations made for streets, lanes, Public Reserves and Parks. This number was twenty-four more than approved during 1955-56. Thirty-eight Certificates of Title were issued to the Department of Public Works upon registration of these plans.

LEASES OF ROAD ALLOWANCES AND PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES

Leases of road allowances south of approximately Township Thirtysix continued to be handled by the Department of Lands and Forests as per the agreement of 1949. North of Township Thirty-six the Surveys Branch of the Department of Highways was responsible for the leasing of road allowances.

During the year, Thirteen new leases were issued and the number in force were Two Hundred and sixty-eight.

Eighty-eight leases of Public Works Reserves are in force at various urban points throughout the Province.

PERMITS FOR UTILITIES, ETC., AFFECTING ROADWAYS

Two hundred and twenty-one applications were received for power transmission lines and of these two hundred and six permits were issued. One hundred and six preliminary plans were submitted and there were thirteen permits amended, cancelled, re-issued, etc.

Three hundred and eighty-four applications were received for gas and oil pipe line permits, three hundred and seventy-two permits were issued and there were one hundred and seventy-three transfers, cancellations, amendents, etc.

The branch received Eighteen applications for sewer-pipe lines and issued Fifteen permits also a similar number for water pipe lines.

Sixteen applications were received for Irrigation Projects and Nine permits were issued.

REPRODUCTIONS

Ozalid blue line printing used was 162,213 square feet as compared with 119,158 square feet in 1955-56.

The total value of printing done and map mounting for various departments of the Government during the year was \$14,356.68.

PUBLIC SITES

There were Fourteen Certificates of Title received for the Department of Public Works, the transactions of which were completed by the staff of the Department of Public Works.

HIGHWAY CONTROL

The number of permits issued under Highway Control Regulations were: Service Stations, One hundred and one; General Developments, Ninety-four; Signs, Thirteen.

On February 1st, 1957, this work was transferred to the Highway Safety Engineer under the control of the Chief Maintenance Engineer. The clerk and stenographer were also transferred.

The following is a summary of the work of the branch described above.

Surveys required and brought forward from 1955	641
Surveys requested during 1956	198
Surveys made or cancelled during 1956	253
Surveys carried forward to 1957	586
Plans submitted and examined on behalf of the Municipal Districts	201
Plans prepared and filed in the Land Titles Office	170
New Township Plans prepared and confirmed	
Township plans partially completed	2
Certificates of Title received for Public Purposes under	
Subdivision Regulations	38
Certificate of Title to Public Sites	14
Transfers issued covering lands no longer required	841
Number of Plans of townsite subdivision approved	628
Plans of re-established corners under Section 78, Alberta Surveys Act	46
Irrigation Permits issued	9
Applications submitted	16
Preliminary plans of power transmission lines submitted	106
Applications received	221
Permits issued	206
Water Pipe Line permits issued	15
Sewer Pipe Line permits issued	15
Gas and Oil pipe line permits issued	372
Vouchers issued	1034
Leases of road allowances in force	
New leases of road allowances issued	13
Leases of Public Reserves	88
Highway Control—Permits Issued: Service Stations	101
General Development	
Signs	13

LOCATION BRANCH

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1957

J. F. LESTER, Chief Location Engineer

During the year under review, four engineers and five parties were engaged in the field for the following projects:

1. Finalizing work on locations already in hand-Highway

```
A1-C-1
                   Calgary to West Bowness
2-C-1
                   Calgary to Carstairs
                   Bowden to Red Deer
Brainard to B.C. Boundary
Cold Lake to 8.5 miles North
2-C-3
43-43
```

2. Location surveys were undertaken on the following projects:

```
2B-2
               Durward to High River
2-B-3
               Proposed Calgary Bypasses
2-D-1
               Red Deer to Morningside
2-F-2
               Smith Revision
2-F-4
               Canyon Creek to Kinuso
2-H-2
               North Approach to Peace River at Dunvegan
2-J-1
              Rycroft to Dunvegan
              4 Mile Corner to Woking Corner
Lethbridge West Approach
2-J-2
3-B-1
5-A-2
               Cardston to Waterton Park
9-C-2
               Excel to Sibbald
               Castor to Veteran
Carvel Corner to Entwistle
12-B-1
16-C-2
21-A
               Three Hills to No. 9 Highway
               No. 16 Highway to North of Peers
6th Meridian to Smoky River
32-A
34 - A - 3
               Taber to Scandia
36-C
41-A
               Wainwright to Consort
               Ashmont to East of Rife
Valleyview to Little Smoky River
43-35
43-44B
44-A-1
               Dapp Corner to Fawcett
               North Saskatchewan Bridge Site to Alsike Corner
57-B
41-9-31
               Boyle to Caslan
41-9-72
               Athabasca to Grassland
49474
               Bitumount to Lake Athabasca Winter Road
```

3. Reconnaissance was carried out for possible future development in the following areas:

```
16-C-3
             Entwistle to Carrot Creek
16-D-3
             Proposed Subway and Underpass to Drinnan Townsite
30-A-1
             From No. 16 Highway to Kapasiwin
36-A-2
             Galahad to Castor
```

Co-operating with the Surveys Branch, applications for permits to construct various utilities were examined prior to the issuing of permits with the purpose of avoiding complications for subsequent Main Highway development.

During the year the following applications for permits were examined:

```
Gas or Oil Pipe Lines
```

379 Power Lines

Sewer or Water Lines

Miscellaneous Applications

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

Highway Locations—Appropriation 2157 Expenditure from April 1, 1956 to March 31, 1957

SUMMARY

2-B-2 2-B-3 2-C-1 2-C-3 2-D-1 2-F-2 2-F-4 2-G-3 2-H-2 2-J-1 2-J-2 2-K-2 3-B-1 5-A-2 9-C-2 12-B-1 16-C-2 16-C-3 16-D-3 21-A-1 30-A 32-A 34-A-3 36-A-2 36-C 41-A 44-A-1 43.35 43.43 43.44 857B 41-9-72 49474	Durwood to High River High River to Calgary Calgary to Carstairs Bowden to Red Deer Red Deer to Morningside Revision at Athabasca River at Smith Slave Lake to Kinuso Triangle to Little Smoky River, South of Donnelly N. Approach to Peace River at Dunvegan South Approach to Peace River at Dunvegan Highway No. 34 to Woking Brainard to B.C. Boundary Lethbridge Approach Mountain View to West of Belly River Oyen to Alsask Castor to Veteran Wabamun to Seba Beach Corner Entwistle to Styal Highway No. 16 to Drinnan Townsite Three Hills to Highway No. 9 Junction No. 16 Highway to Kapasiwin Junction No. 16 Highway to Peers 6th Meridian to Smoky River East of Galahad to Castor Taber to Scandia Wainwright to Consort Dapp Corner to Fawcett Ashmont to East of Rife Cold Lake Airport to 8.5 Miles North Valleyview to Little Smoky River Boyle to Caslan Athabasca to Grassland	793.22 10,874.81 54.05 113.50
49474 Administra	Bitumount to Lake Athabasca	74,919.95
Admin	istration \$19,908.54	
Unemp	nent	23,604.17
WOLKI	1,470.50	\$255,219.36
		Ψ200,210.00

Salaries—Appropriation 2157A—\$37,704.34 is included in above statement.

MOTOR VEHICLES BRANCH

(H. R. CLARK, Registrar)

MOTOR VEHICLES DIVISION

The fiscal year 1956-57 indicates the normal trend of vehicle registration increase of approximately 10% over previous years registrations. Registrations for the past year are as follows:

	_	•			
Passenger cars	S				255,029
				OHUMANOSCO O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O	127,375
	anu	Commercial	venicles	QHAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA	
Motor Cycles					1.849
Dealers					1.857

OPERATORS' DIVISION

Operators' licenses issued during the same period were as follows: Chauffeur Licenses 66,095 Driver's Licenses 389,539

The increase in vehicles and operators' licenses also was responsible for a large increase in driver examinations as follows:

Examined		Ap	proved		Abe	yance	Failed	Completely
50,311		3	3,624			687		8
Restrictions	placed	on	drivers'	licenses	are	classified	below:	
Glasses	_			~~~~			6,219 2,357	
Special E	Equipment		**********************			~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~	. 2,357	
Motorevel							404	
Speed							38	
Daylight							18	
Area				*****		*****************	102	

Comparison statement of accidents for the calendar years 1955 and 1956 are listed herewith:

	1955	1956
Accidents, all classes	17,759	19,671
Accidents, where damage exceeded \$100.00		15,716
Fatal accidents	109	177
Persons killed in fatal accidents		235
Accidents involving personal injury	3,556	3,639
Persons injured	4,654	5,481

Convictions:

Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act 20,924 Criminal Code of Canada 1,713 During 1956 Judgments were 174 as against 224 for 1955. 26,488

Central Registry Division reports that in the period January 1st to December 31st, 1956 a total of 100,103 documents evidencing encumbrances against motor vehicles, aircraft, trailers and oil well drilling equipment were filed, an increase of 10,440 over 1955.

For the same period a total of 201,125 vehicles were inspected and

approved.

HIGHWAY TRAFFIC BOARD

This report is for the year ending March 31st, 1957.

SAFETY MEETINGS CONDUCTED

	No.	Attendance
Home and School Meetings	17	1190
Service Clubs	14	814
Commercial Drivers	5	375
Conventions	. 1	460
Church Organizations	3	175
General Public	. 6	790
Armed Forces		175
High Schools		1230
Agricultural Schools		640
School Bus Drivers' Schools	14	512
Car Rodeos	$\tilde{2}\tilde{1}$	315 contestants
		5800 spectators
		(estimated)
Radio Talks	4	(cbtilitite a)
T.V. Programs		
School Bus Inspections		
	0.20	

BUS FRANCHISES AS OF MARCH 31st, 1957 NEW FRANCHISES GRANTED:

A. B. Fraser—Sight-seeing bus within City of Edmonton.
G. R. Woodford—Lethbridge - Etzikom
Allan T. Jones—Hinton Area.
Caroline Bus Lines—Caroline - Rocky Mountain House
J. A. Thomas—Canmore - Exshaw - Kananaskis
Lethbridge Northern Bus Lines—Fort Macleod - S. Pincher Creek
M. H. Thurber—Ponoka to Mental Hospital.

DISCONTINUED SERVICE:

Allan and Wilson—Ponoka to Mental Hospital.

Valley Bus Lines—(a) Drumheller - East Coulee; (b) Drumheller - Wayne

EXTENSION OF BUS FRANCHISE:

Pembina Bus Lines—(a) to include Lodgepole

(b) Sight-seeing tours - Pembina Oilfield.

Beverly Bus Lines—Cloverbar to C.N. Marshalling Yards.

BUS CERTIFICATES IN EFFECT AS AT MARCH 31st. 1957

BUS CERTIFICATES IN EFF	FECT AS AT MARCH 31st, 1957
Alberta Eastern Bus Lines	Edmonton to Lloydminster
Beverly Bus Lines	Edmonton to Canada Cement Plant
	Edmonton to Beverly to Cloverbar
	Edmonton to Elk Island Park
Blue Goose Lines Ltd.	Edmonton to Lac La Biche
Branch Lines Ltd.	Edson to Luscar
Canadian Coachways Ltd.	Edmonton to B.C. Border
	Edmonton to High Prairie
	Edmonton to Smith
	High Prairie to Grande Prairie
	High Prairie to Hines Creek
	Falher to B.C. Border
	Grande Prairie to Peace River Peace River to N.W.T. Border
	High Level to Fort Vermilion
	Edmonton to Lac La Nonne
Cardinal Coach Lines Ltd.	Three Hills to Red Deer
	Calgary to Stettler
	Calgary to Stettler Stettler to Drumheller
	Red Deer to Consort
City of Edmonton	Edmonton to Can. Chem. Plant
	Edmonton to Imperial Oil Refinery Edmonton to Jasper Place
Diamond Bus Lines Ltd.	Edmonton to Jasper Place
Di I	Edmonton to Industrial Area
Dickens, W.	Coleman to B.C. Border
Dunner II	Bellevue to B.C. Border Crows' Nest Pass Area
Draper, H.	Vauxhall to Taber
Fedoruk, W. Fleming, W. C. Foothills Sight Seeing Service	Calgary to Ammonia Plant
Foothills Sight Spaing Service	Calgary
Glacier Park Transport Co.	Carway to Waterton Park
Jones, A. T.	Hinton area
Jones, A. T. Moran, B. D.	Calgary to Longview
Northland Arrow Lines Ltd.	Calgary to Longview Edmonton to Westlock
	Edmonton to Barrhead
	Edmonton to St. Albert
	Barrhead to Fort Assiniboine
Pembina Bus Lines Ltd.	Edmonton to Violet Grove
Petrone, Guido	Hillcrest to Bellevue
Dhillin T T	Hillcrest to Coleman Olds to Sundre
Phillip, J. J. Ratcliffe, W. H.	
St. Denys, H. J.	Hubalta to Calgary Caroline to Red Deer
St. Denys, 11. J.	Caroline to Rocky Mountain House
Sorensen Bus Lines Ltd	Red Deer
	Red Deer to Penhold Airport
	Red Deer to Rocky Mountain House
Sunburst Motor Coaches Ltd.	Edmonton to Chauvin
	Edmonton to Elk Point
	Edmonton to Cold Lake
	Edmonton to Saskatchewan Border
	Edmonton to Alliance
	Edmonton to Alix Edmonton to Buck Lake
Thomas, J. W.	Canmore to Kananaskis
Thurber, H.	
Truckey, A.	Sandy Lake to Edmonton
Valley Bus Lines Ltd.	Drumheller to Nacmine
	Drumheller to Midland
Western Canadian Greyhound Lines	Edmonton to Lloydminster
	Edmonton to Hinton
	Edmonton to Calgary
	Calgary to Lethbridge
	Lethbridge to Walsh Calgary to Medicine Hat
	Lethbridge to Cardston
	Lethbridge to Cardston Macleod to Crowsnest
	Macleod to Waterton
	Pincher Creek to Waterton
	Calgary to Banff
	Calgary to Banff Calgary to Saskatchewan Border
	Lethbridge to Coutts Edmonton to Lacombe
Western Motor Coaches Ltd.	Edmonton to Lacombe
	Edmonton to Devon
The following shows mileges to	ravolled by all bus companies.

The following shows mileage travelled by all bus companies:

Dirt Highways 58,023 926,752

ACTUAL MILES TRAVELLED Surfaced Highways 7,953,292 311,004,449

Total 8,011,315 311,931,201

PASSENGER MILES TRAVELLED

During the year approximately 3,400,000 passengers were carried.

